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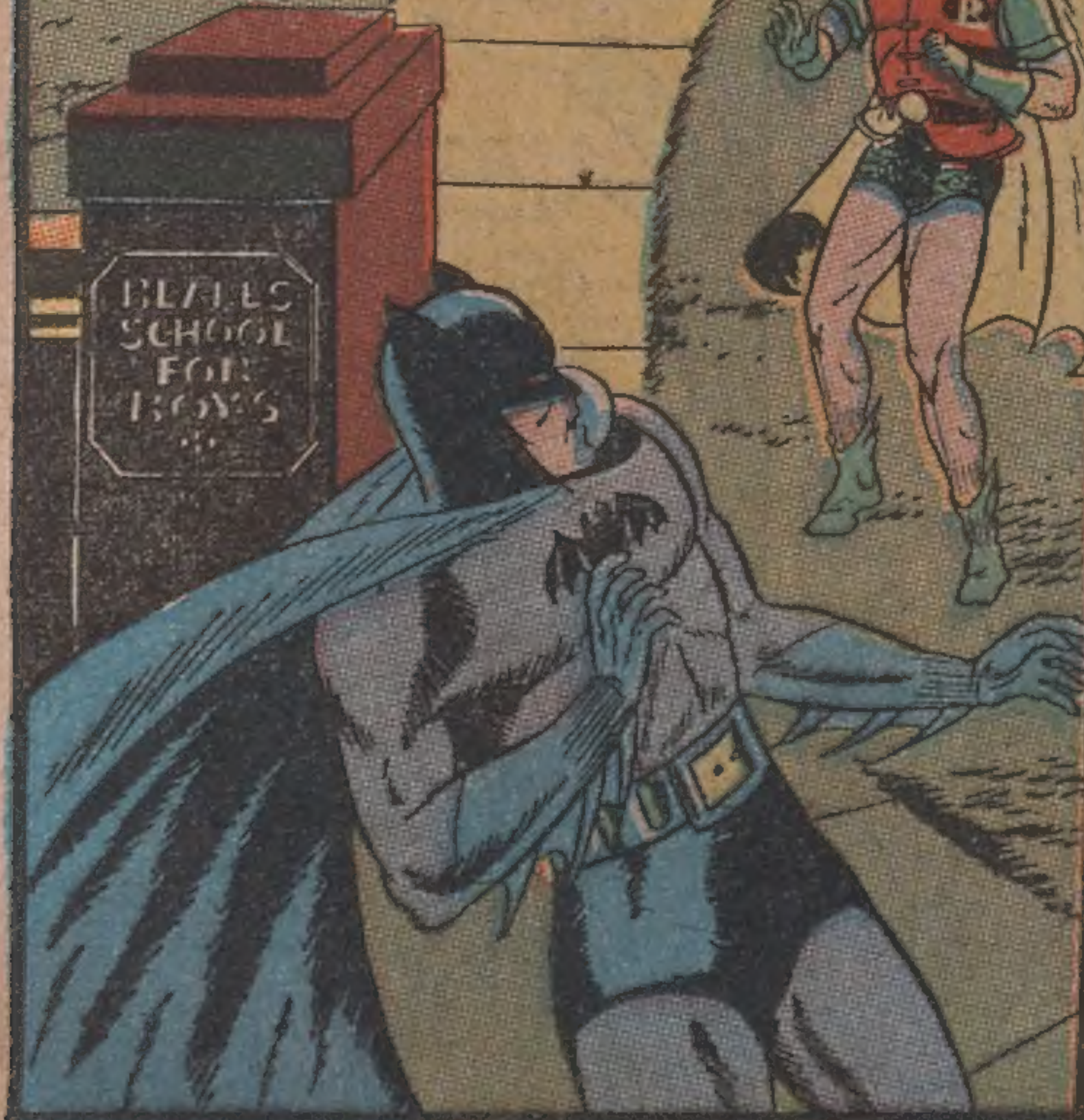
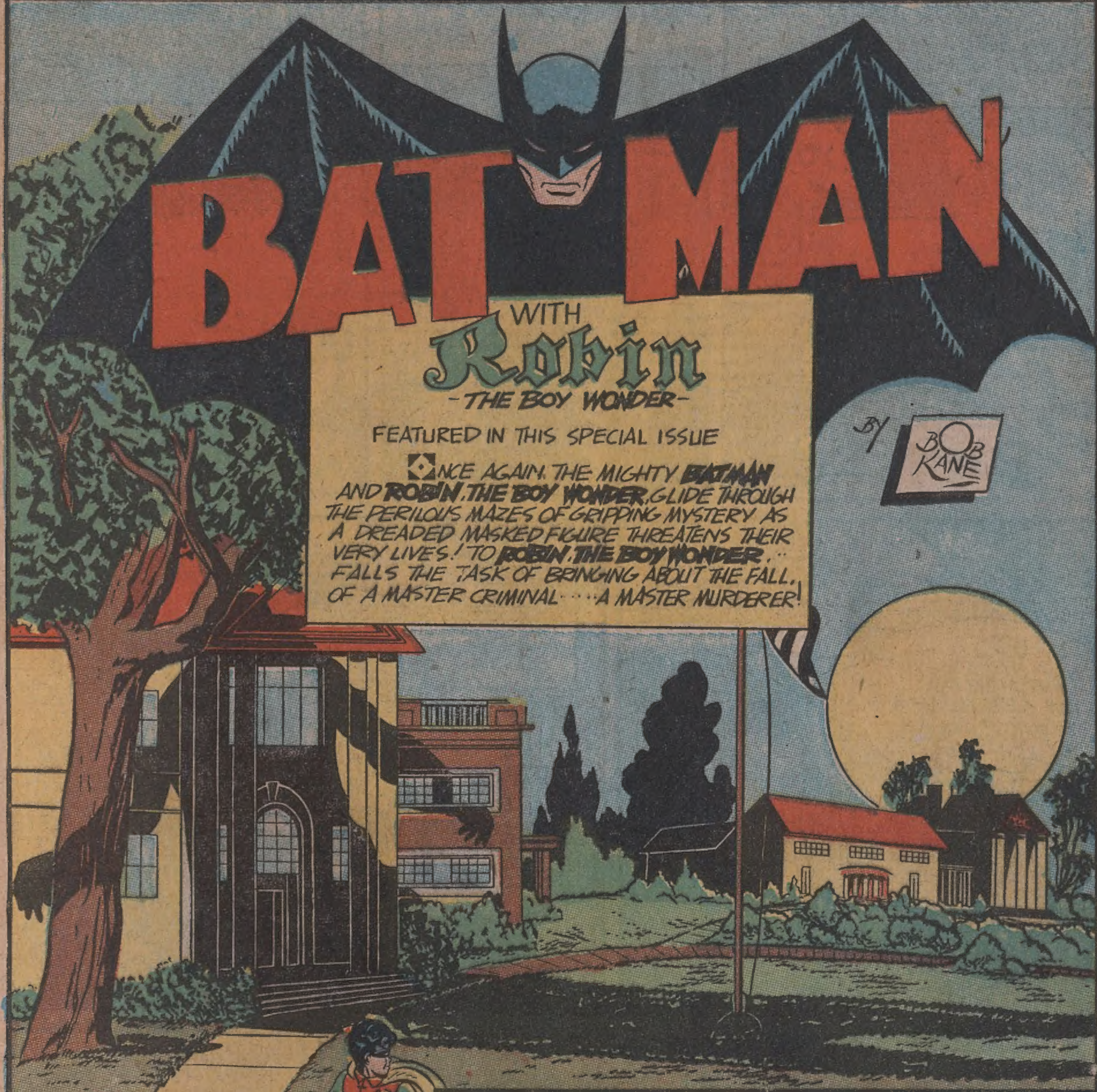
BATMAN

WITH
Robin
-THE BOY WONDER-

FEATURED IN THIS SPECIAL ISSUE

ONCE AGAIN, THE MIGHTY **BATMAN** AND **ROBIN, THE BOY WONDER**, GLIDE THROUGH THE PERILOUS MAZES OF GRIPPING MYSTERY AS A DREADED MASKED FIGURE THREATENS THEIR VERY LIVES! TO **ROBIN, THE BOY WONDER**, ... FALLS THE TASK OF BRINGING ABOUT THE FALL, OF A MASTER CRIMINAL ... A MASTER MURDERER!

By
BOB KANE



ON A CERTAIN EVENTFUL NIGHT... IMPORTANT INCIDENTS TAKE PLACE THAT ARE TO INVOLVE MANY PEOPLE, INCLUDING BATMAN AND ROBIN, THE BOY WONDER !!!

A HOMICIDAL MANIAC MAKES GOOD HIS ESCAPE FROM AN INSANE ASYLUM...

HEE! HEE! HOLD ME, WILL THEY? HEE HEE! CALL ME CRAZY, EH? HEE HEE! I'M SMART ENOUGH TO ESCAPE!



LATER, ON THE GROUNDS OF THE FASHIONABLE PRIVATE SCHOOL FOR BOYS NEARBY, THE SUPERINTENDANT IS FOUND MURDERED... STRANGLED...



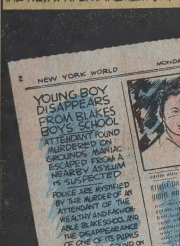
WHILE LIP IN ONE OF THE DORMITORY ROOMS A BOY NAMED TED SPENCER OPENS HIS EYES TO SEE A FIGURE BEFORE HIM!



W-WHAT DO YOU WANT?

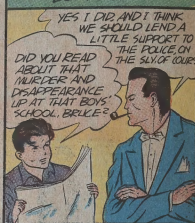
YOU!

STARTLING NEWS HEADLINES THE NEWSPAPERS THE NEXT DAY...



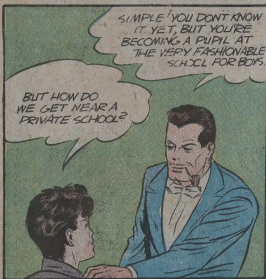
NEW YORK WORLD
MONDAY
OCTOBER 1ST
YOUNG BOY DISAPPEARS FROM BLAKES BOYS SCHOOL
ATTENDANT FOUND MURDERED ON GROUNDS MANIAC ESCAPED FROM A NEARBY ASYLUM IS SUSPECTED
POLICE ARE MYSTIFIED BY THE MURDER OF AN ATTENDANT OF THE WEALTHY AND FASHIONABLE BLAKE SCHOOL AND THE DISAPPEARANCE OF ONE OF ITS PUPILS FOUND ON

THE HOME OF BRUCE WAYNE THE BATMAN, AND YOUNG DICK GRAYSON WHO IS IN REALITY ROBIN THE BOY WONDER



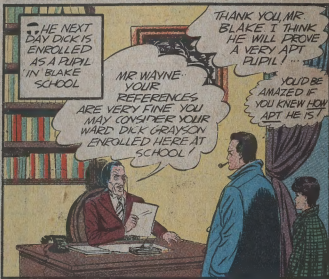
YES I DID AND I THINK WE SHOULD LEND A LITTLE SUPPORT TO THE POLICE ON THE SLY OF COURSE!

DID YOU READ ABOUT THAT MURDER AND DISAPPEARANCE LIP AT THAT BOYS SCHOOL, BRUCE?



SIMPLE 'YOU DON'T KNOW IT YET, BUT YOU'RE BECOMING A PUPIL AT THE VERY FASHIONABLE SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

BUT HOW DO WE GET NEAR A PRIVATE SCHOOL?



HE NEXT DAY DICK IS ENROLLED AS A PUPIL IN BLAKE SCHOOL

MR WAYNE YOUR REFERENCES ARE VERY FINE YOU MAY CONSIDER YOUR WARD DICK GRAYSON ENROLLED HERE AT SCHOOL!

THANK YOU, MR. BLAKE I THINK HE WILL PROVE A VERY APT PUPIL!

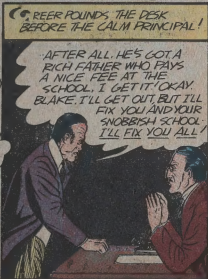
YOU'D BE AMAZED IF YOU KNEW HOW APT HE IS!



AT THAT MOMENT...

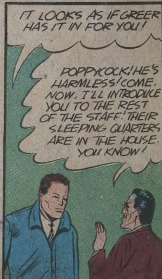
IS IT TRUE ABOUT MY BEING DISCHARGED?

YES MR. GREER IT IS I CAN'T HAVE ANY OF MY TEACHERS FAILING A PUPIL BECAUSE HE Muddled A TEST YOU SHOULD USE MORE DISCRETION AFTER ALL



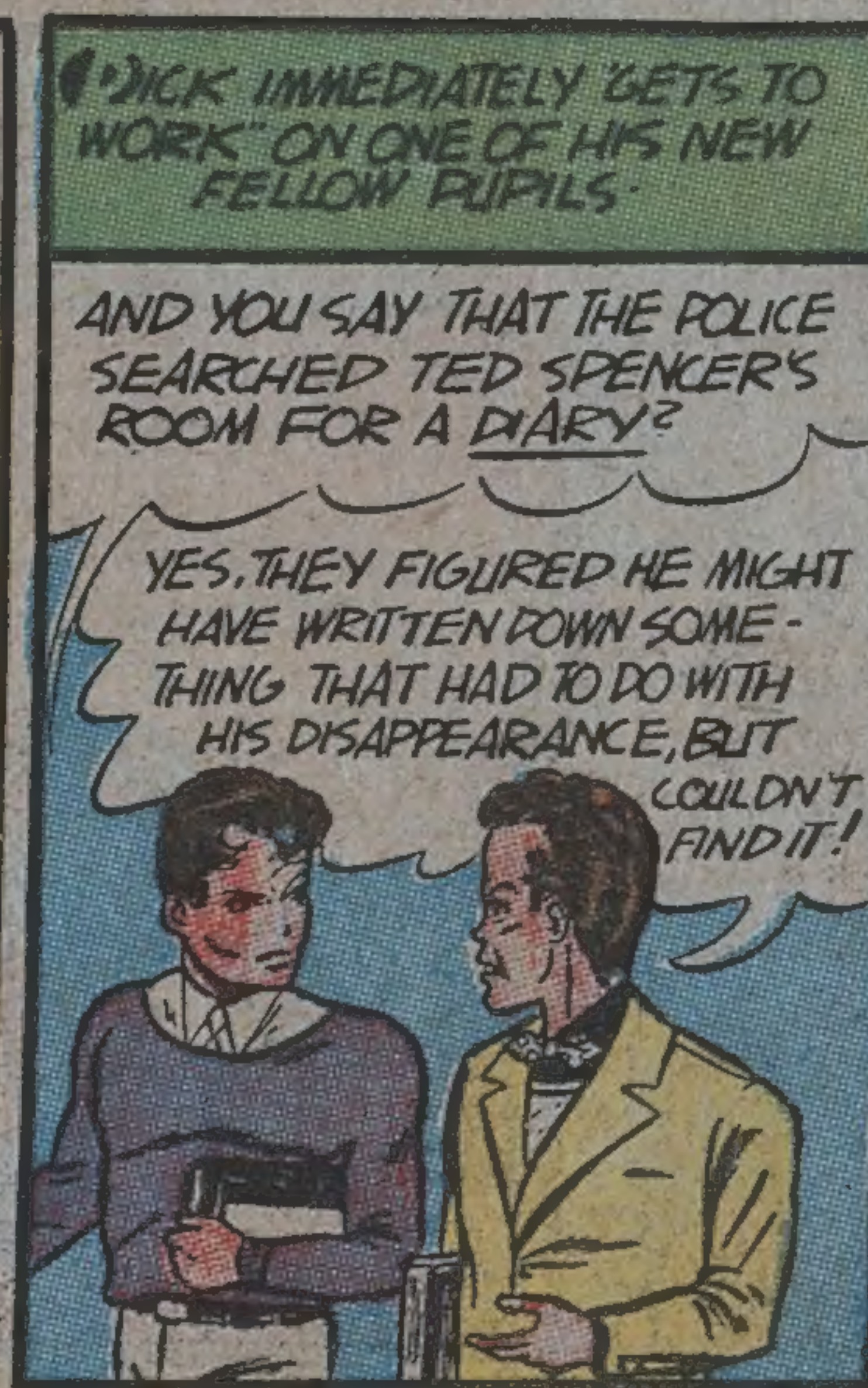
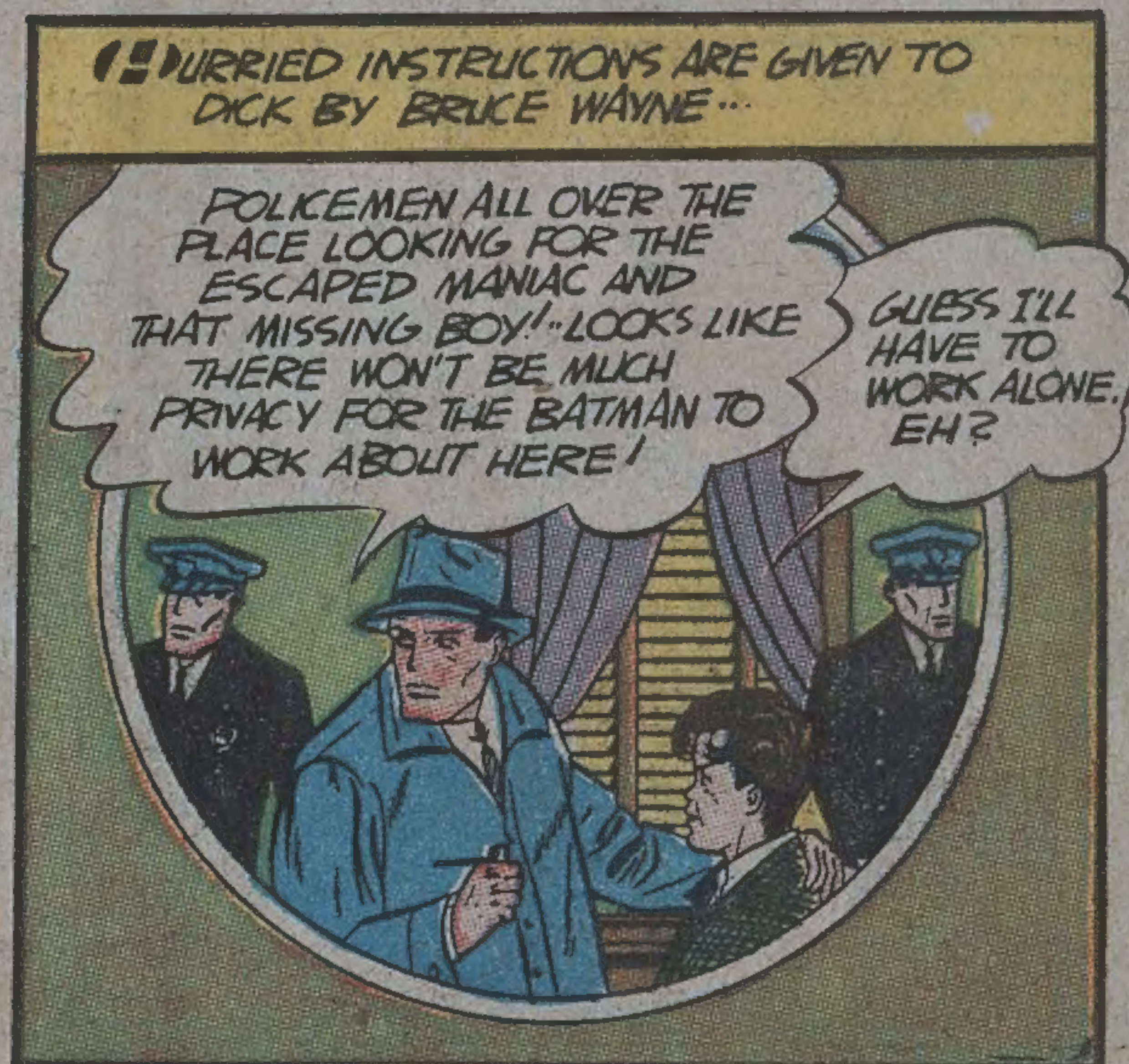
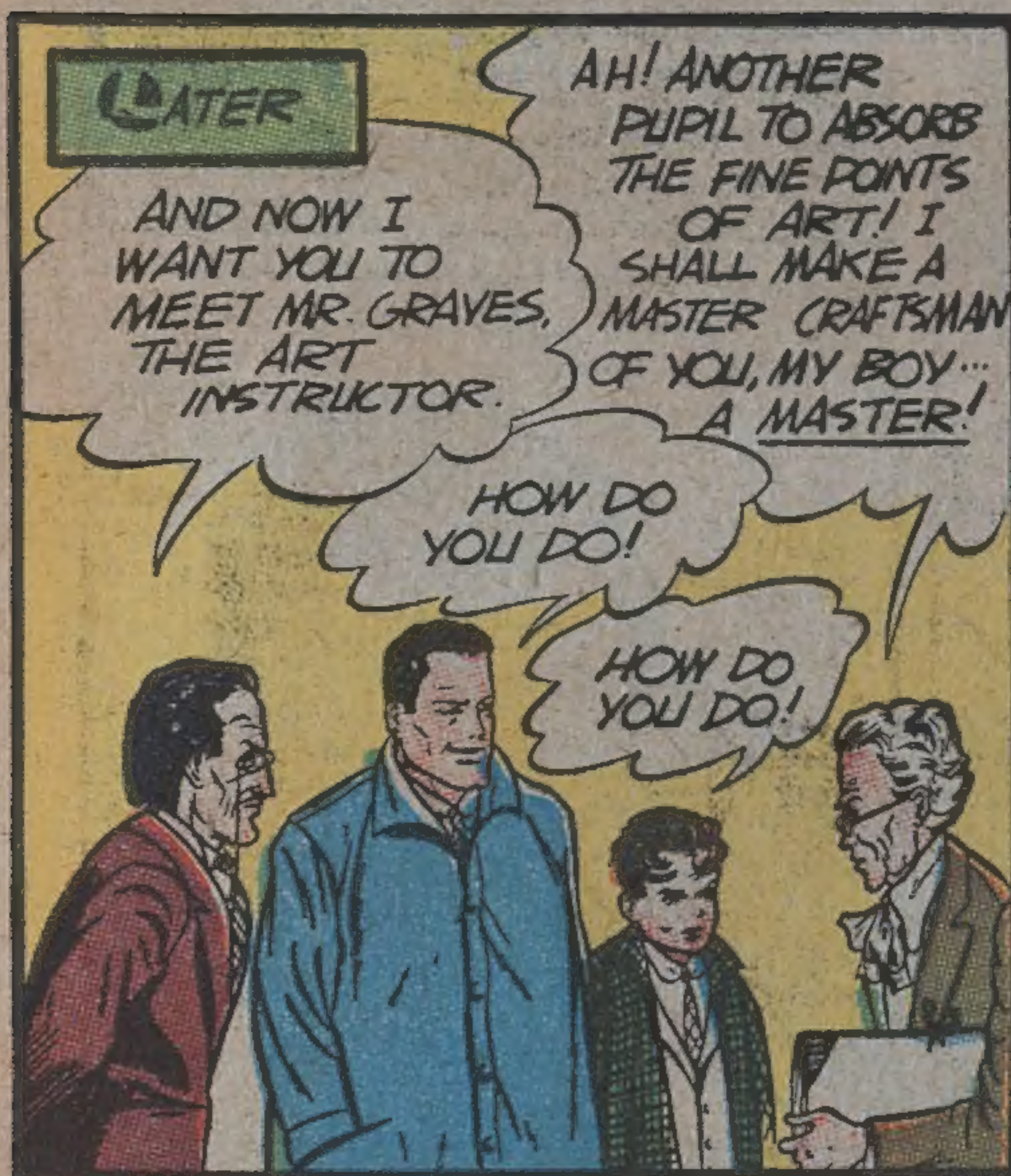
GREER POUNDS THE DESK BEFORE THE CALM PRINCIPAL!

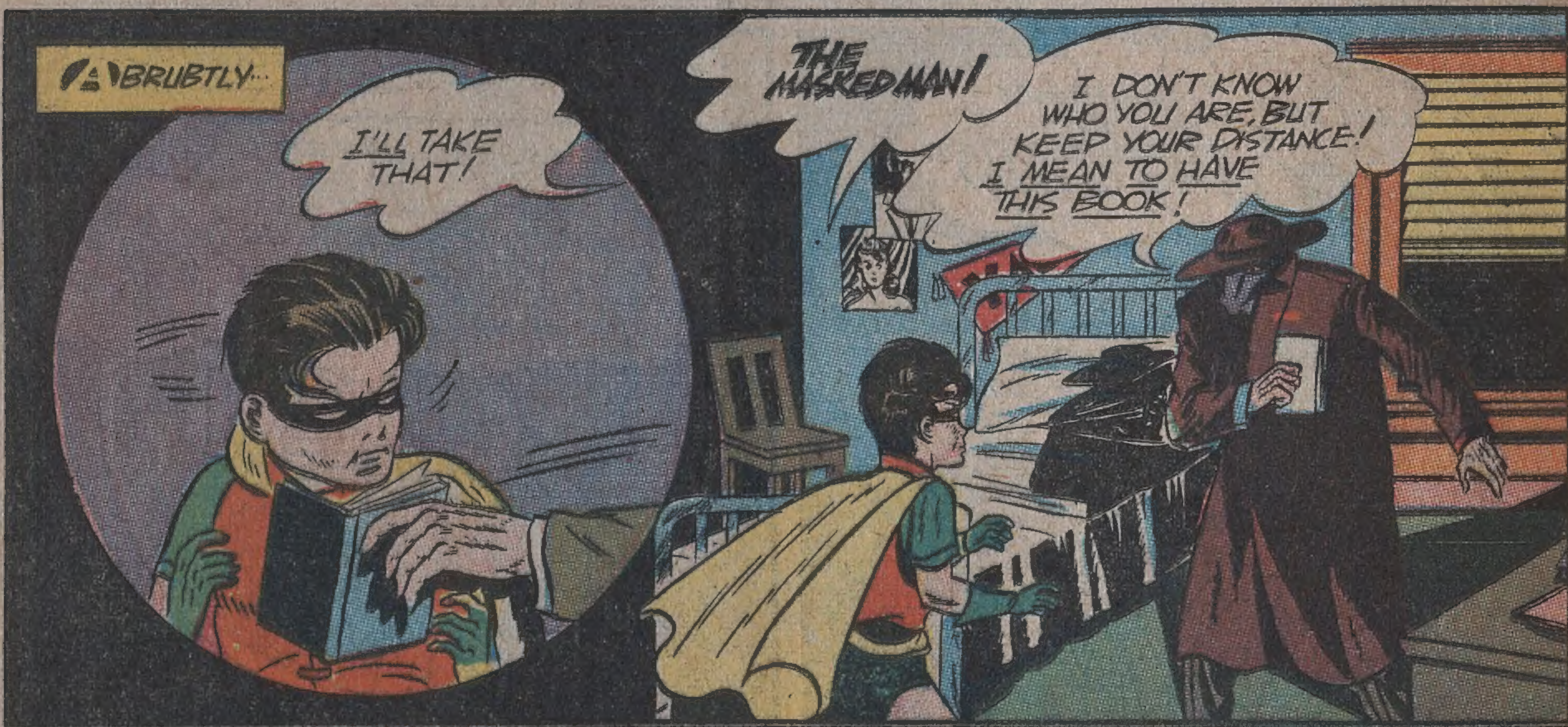
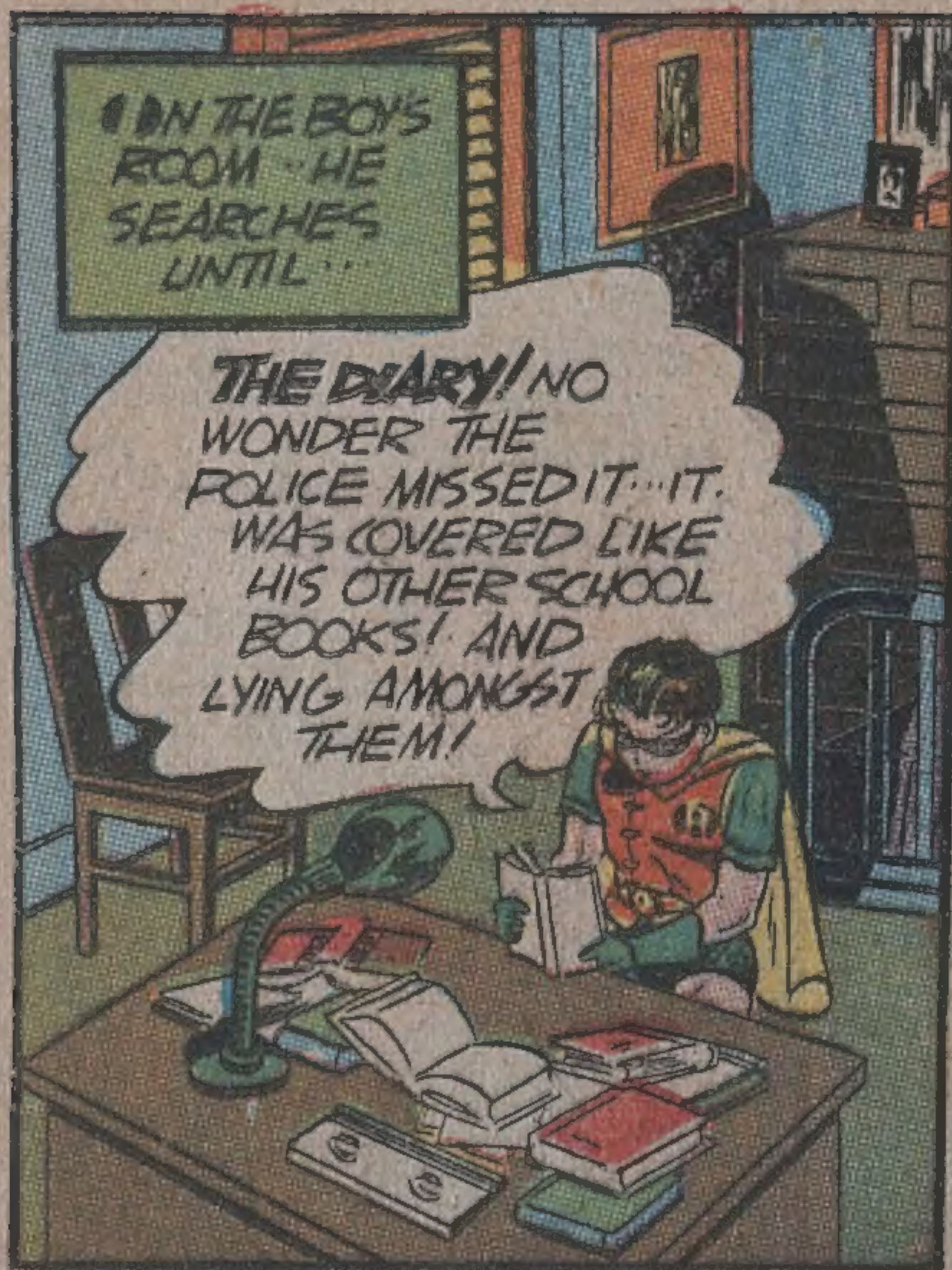
AFTER ALL HE'S GOT A RICH FATHER WHO PAYS A NICE FEE AT THE SCHOOL, I GET IT 'OKAY, BLAKE, I'LL GET OUT BUT I'LL FIX YOU AND YOUR SNOBBISH SCHOOL I'LL FIX YOU ALL!

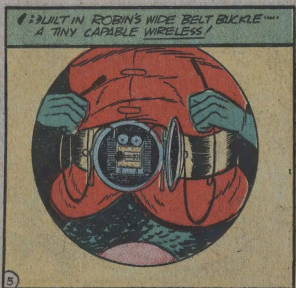
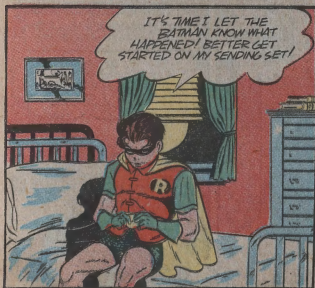


IT LOOKS AS IF GREER HAS IT IN FOR YOU!

POPPYCOCK! HE'S HARMLESS! COME, NOW, I'LL INTRODUCE YOU TO THE REST OF THE STAFF THEIR SLEEPING QUARTERS ARE IN THE HOUSE YOU KNOW!







OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL WALL, THE BATMAN IS CONTACTED!

THE PORTABLE PHONE... ROBIN HAS SOME NEWS FOR ME!

THE BATMAN IS INFORMED OF ALL THAT HAS TRANSPIRED!

AND THEN HE DISAPPEARED WITH THE DIARY!... WHAT SHALL I DO NOW?

THE MISSING BOY'S DIARY MENTIONED THE PRINCIPAL, MR. BLAKE. WHY NOT SEARCH HIS ROOMS... MAYBE HE KNOWS SOMETHING!

ON A LARGE GLOOMY ROOM A MAN STANDS READING BEFORE A ROARING FIRE... THE SINISTER MASKED MENACE!

HMM!... GOOD THING I SECURED THIS DIARY... MIGHT HAVE GIVEN THE POLICE A CLUE TO MY ACTIVITIES HERE!

BETTER IF I RID MYSELF OF IT!... NOTHING LIKE THE ALL CONSUMING FLAME TO DEVOUR EVIDENCE... NOW I'M FREE TO CONTINUE MY WORK!

THE NEXT NIGHT, ROBIN IS ONCE MORE ON THE PROWL!

THAT'S BLAKE'S ROOM UP THERE! BEST I CLIMB THAT VINE AND ENTER THE OUTSIDE WINDOW INSTEAD OF THE DOOR!

AN AGONIZING SCREAM SUDDENLY SPLITS THE NIGHT AIR!

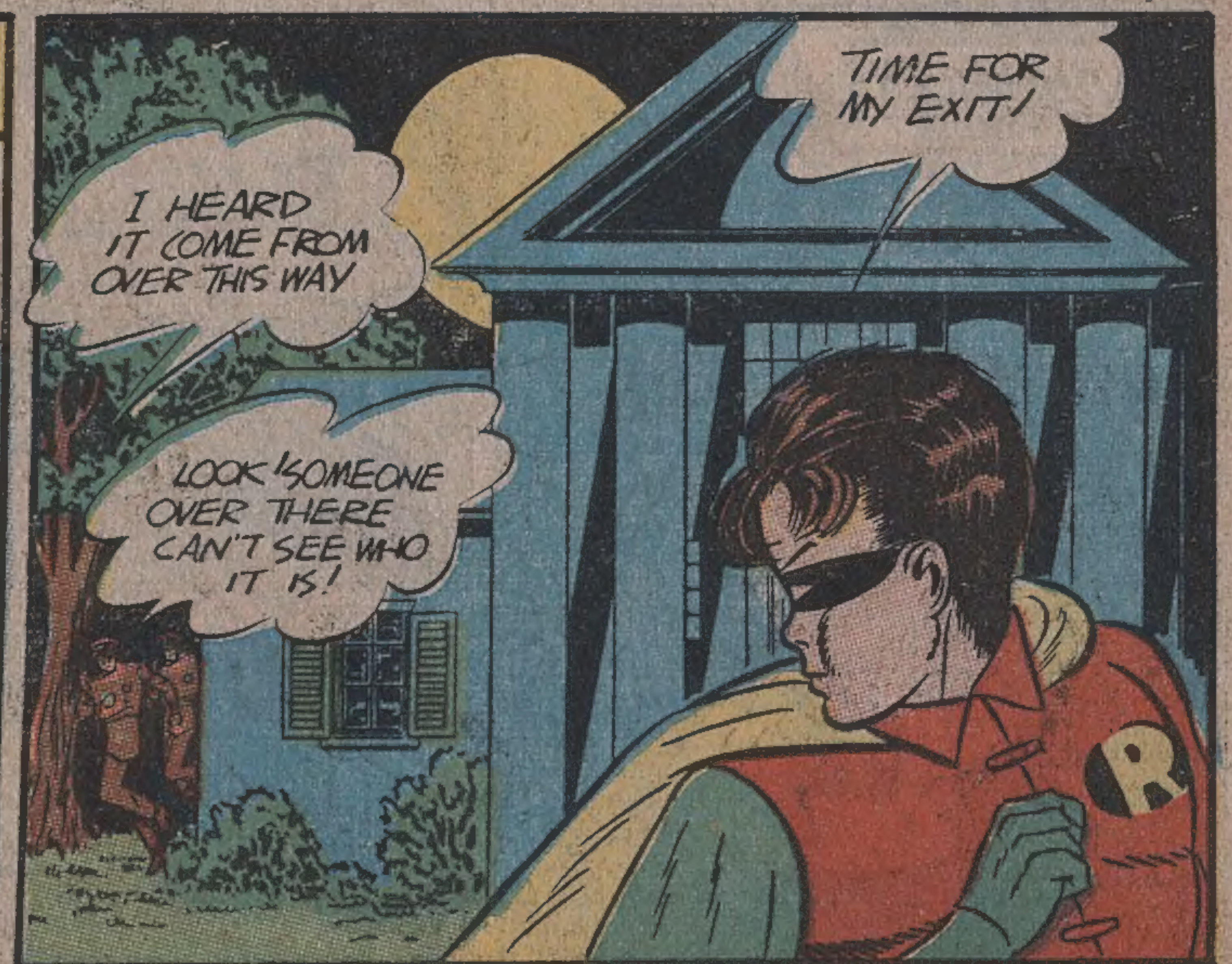
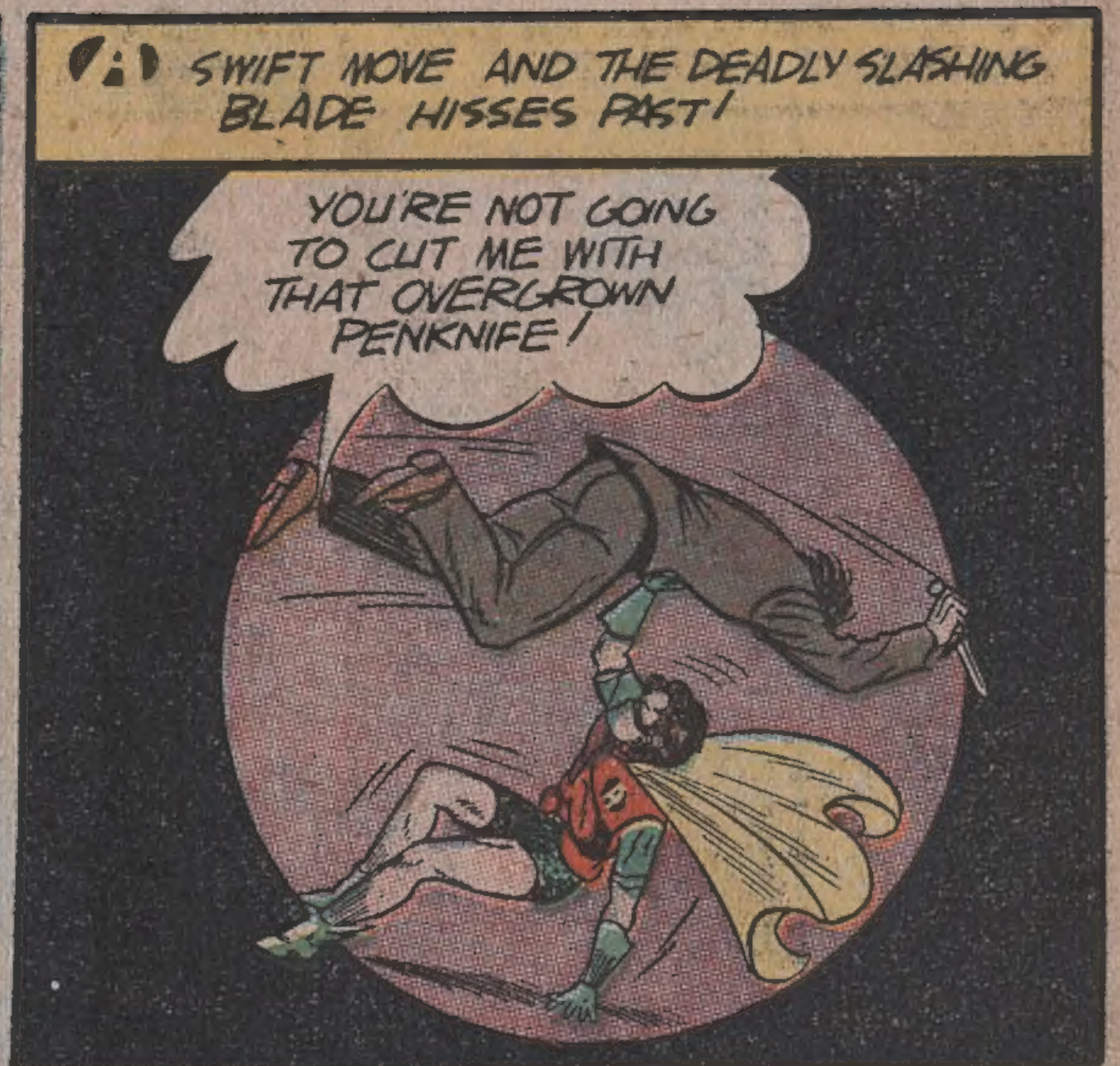
WHA... SOMEONE IN TROUBLE!

AAGH! HELP! HELP!

IT CAME FROM AROUND THIS CORNER!

ROUNDING THE BUILDING, ROBIN STANDS TRANSFIXED WHEN HE SEES...

TRY TO TELL ME YOU'RE A JANITOR, EH! I KNOW YOU'RE A KEEPER LIKE THE OTHER ONE I KILLED!



THE NEXT MORNING THE SCHOOL BUZZES WITH EXCITEMENT OVER SENSATIONAL NEWS...

THEY SAY THE MANIAC THOUGHT THE UNIFORMED JANITORS WERE KEEPERS TRYING TO TAKE HIM BACK TO THE INSANE ASYLUM!

SO IT WAS THE MANIAC WHO KILLED THE FIRST JANITOR AND THEN TRIED TO KILL ANOTHER LAST NIGHT!

THEN I IMAGINE THE POLICE WILL BE CALLED OFF THE GROUNDS NOW?

OH, YES. THE CASE IS FINISHED NOW!

THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK!... WHAT ABOUT THE MISSING BOY AND HIS DIARY!... AND THE MASKED MAN! VESSIR, THIS CASE IS JUST BEGINNING!

NOTHING HAS HIS OPINION... HODGES!!

SO THE CASE IS FINISHED IS IT, MR. BLAKE? YOU HAVE FORGOTTEN ABOUT THE MISSING TED SPENCER! YOU HAVE LESS BRAINS THAN I THOUGHT YOU HAD... OR HAVE YOU?

THAT NIGHT THE BOY WONDER IS AGAIN ON THE MOVE!

LAST NIGHT I DIDN'T GET A CHANCE TO LOOK IN THE PRINCIPAL'S ROOM, BUT NOTHING IS GOING TO STOP ME NOW!

SWIFTLY THE AGILE FIGURE SCALES THE HIGH WALL...

AT LAST LIKE HIS FIGURE GHOSTS INTO THE ROOM!

WELL, I'M IN, AND... GOOD HEAVENS, WHAT'S THAT ON THE FLOOR?

BLAKE..... MURDERED!

ON THE MORNING THE BODY IS DISCOVERED. POLICE INVESTIGATE... GREER IS ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF MURDER!

YOU KILLED BLAKE, DIDN'T YOU!

YOU HATED HIM BECAUSE HE DISCHARGED YOU FROM SCHOOL!

NO... NO... I DIDN'T... I TELL YOU I DIDN'T!

YOU THREATENED TO FIX HIM!

WHAT DID YOU DO WITH TED SPENCER, THE MISSING BOY?

YOU HATED HIM! YOU WANTED REVENGE! YOU KIDNAPPED HIM!

WE FOUND OUT THAT SPENCER WAS THE PUPIL WHO FAILED THAT TEST! IT WAS BECAUSE OF HIM THAT YOU WERE DISCHARGED!

NO...NO...NO...!!

YOU HATED BLAKE AND THE BOY!

YOU SATISFIED YOUR REVENGE DIDN'T YOU? DIDN'T YOU?

YOU KILLED BLAKE AND PERHAPS HAVE ALREADY KILLED THE BOY!

NO...NO...I'M INNOCENT!

WHO DO YOU THINK IS THE MYSTERY MURDERER? WHO DO YOU THINK IS THE MASKED MENACE? CHECK WHICH PERSON YOU THINK IS GUILTY!

GREER... THE SUSPECTED ONE?

BLAKE... THE PRINCIPAL WAS HE THE MASKED MAN?

GRAVES... THE ECCENTRIC ART TEACHER?

THE ESCAPED MANIAC... WAS HE THE MASKED MAN?

HODGES... THE MYSTERIOUS HISTORY TEACHER?

THAT NIGHT, ROBIN ONCE MORE CONTACTS THE BATMAN!

YES... THE POLICE ARE OFF THE GROUNDS NOW BECAUSE THEY FEEL THE CASE IS CLOSED! WHY DO YOU ASK?

BECAUSE I STILL THINK THE CASE IS OPEN! TONIGHT I WANT YOU TO PATROL THE HOUSE WHILE I WATCH THE GROUNDS OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL WALL! I HAVE A HUNCH SOMETHING IS GOING TO HAPPEN!

AT MIDNIGHT AND AS ROBIN FLITS SILENTLY ALONG THE DIMLY-LIT CORRIDOR... HE SEES...

THE MASKED MAN! - COMING FROM BLAKE'S ROOM!

THE WONDER BOY TRAILS THE MASKED MENACE!

THAT'S QUEER. WHAT'S HE WANT IN THIS CLASSROOM?

AS THE SHADOWY FIGURE PASSES A SECRET PANEL THE BLACKBOARD SLIDES AWAY.

SWIFTLY THE PANEL ONCE MORE CLOSSES - THE MAN HAS DISAPPEARED!!

A SLIDING PANEL! THERE MUST BE SOME SORT OF TUNNEL BEHIND IT!

ONCE MORE THE PANEL SLIDES OPEN... THIS TIME TO ADMIT THE WONDER BOY!

YOU DON'T KNOW IT, MR. MASKED MAN, BUT YOU'VE GOT COMPANY!

INTO DARKENED DEPTHS STEPS THE FEARLESS BOY!

THIS MUST BE AN OLD DESERTED TUNNEL ABANDONED WHEN THE SCHOOL WAS BUILT!

OUT OF THE OLD TUNNEL THE MASKED MENACE STEPS INTO THE OPEN AIR!

AND ENTERS AN OLD DWELLING NEARBY!

INSIDE THE OLD HOUSE THE MISSING BOY TED SPENCER!

DIDJA GET IT, BOSS?

SURE, I KNEW WHERE BLAKE KEPT IT! THIS IS REAL MONEY, NOT THE COUNTERFEIT STUFF WE'VE BEEN MAKING!

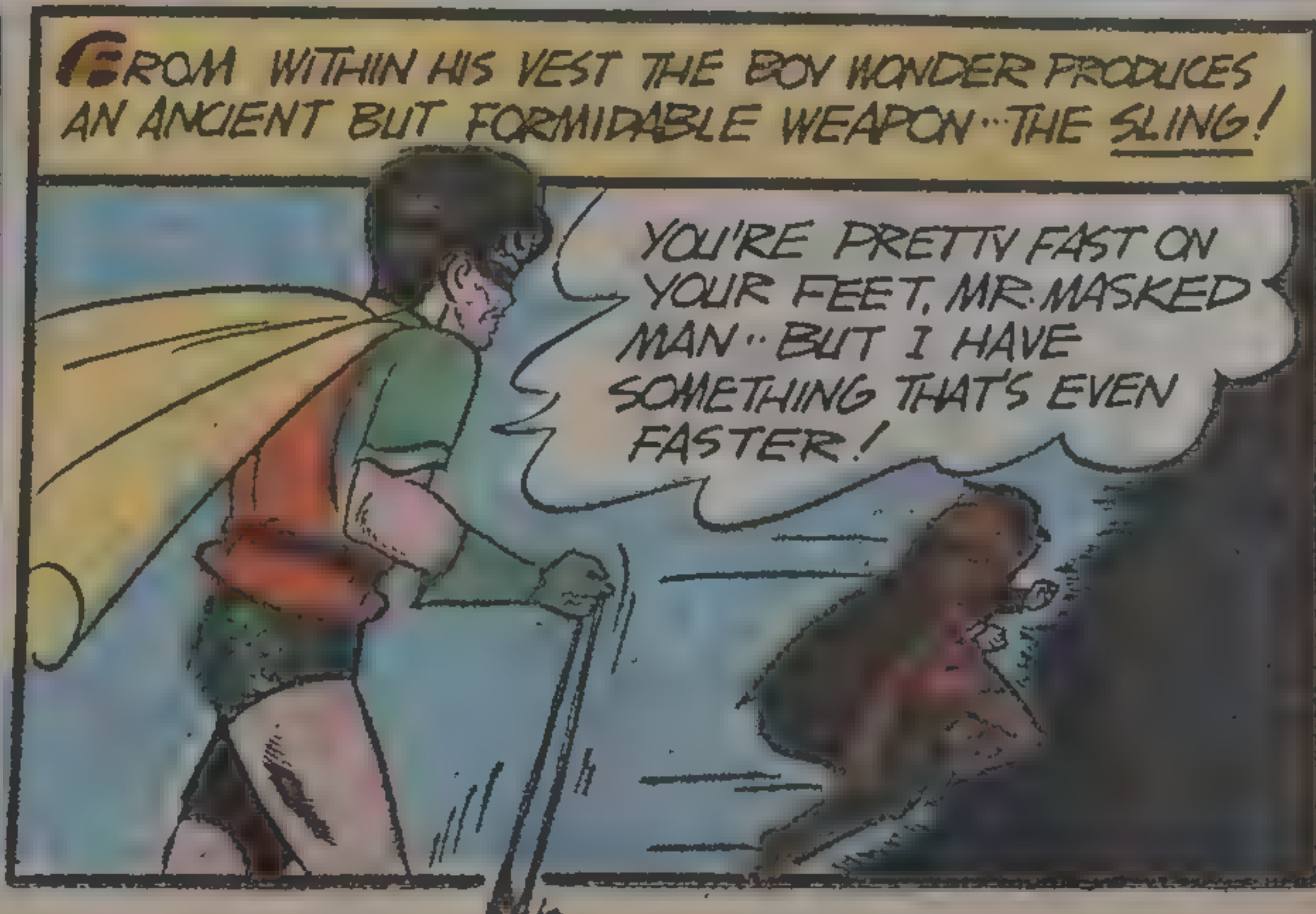
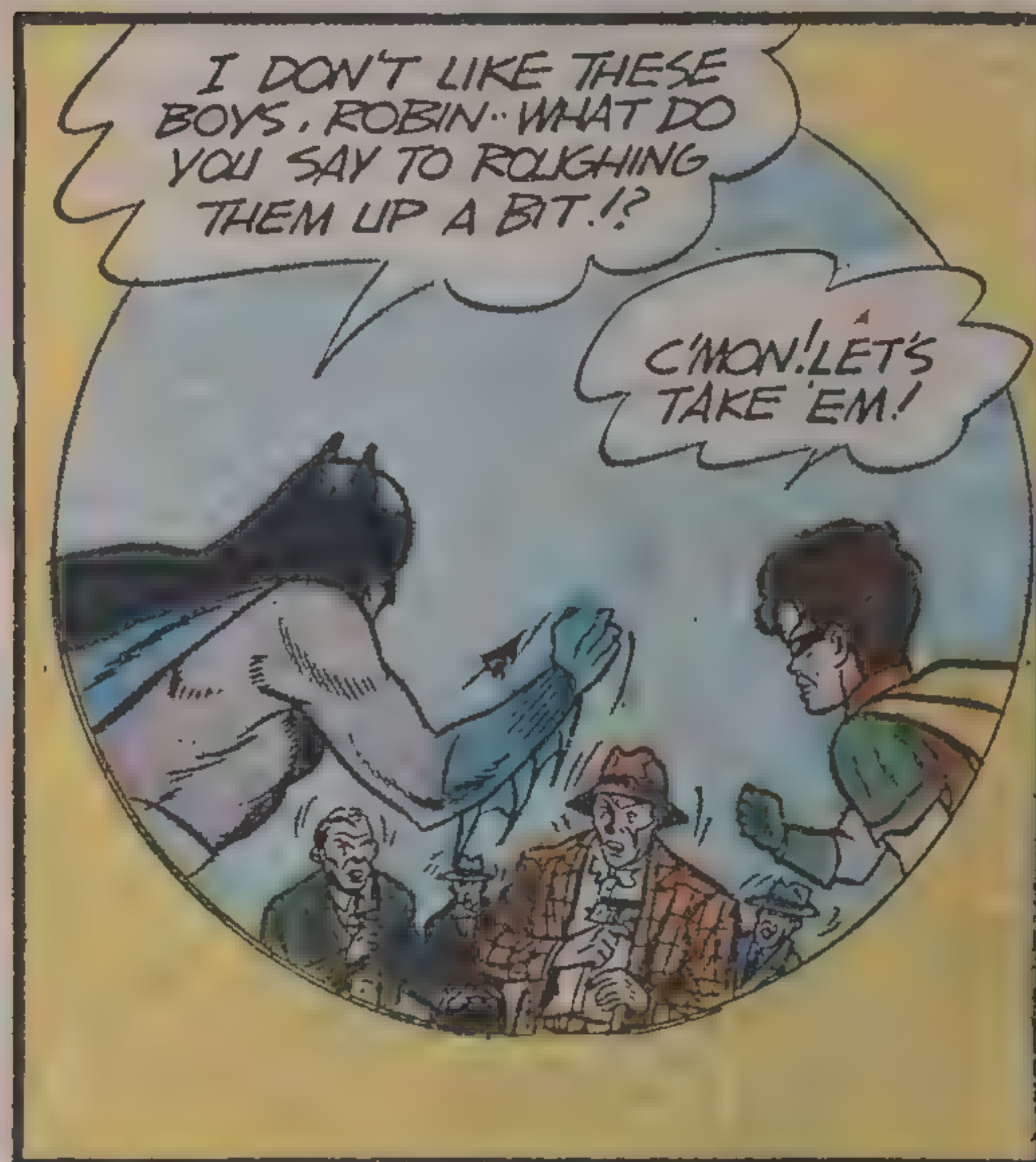
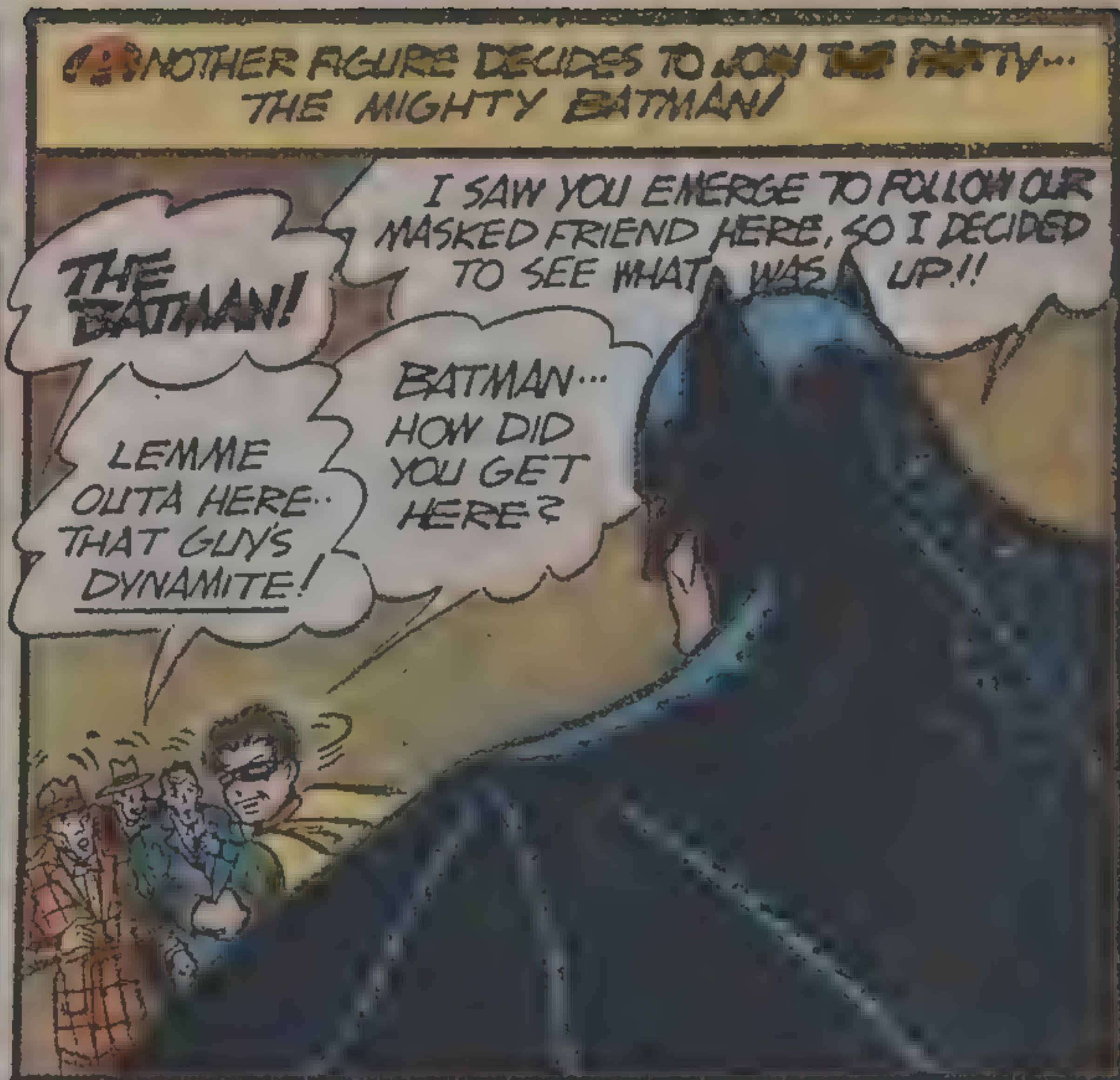
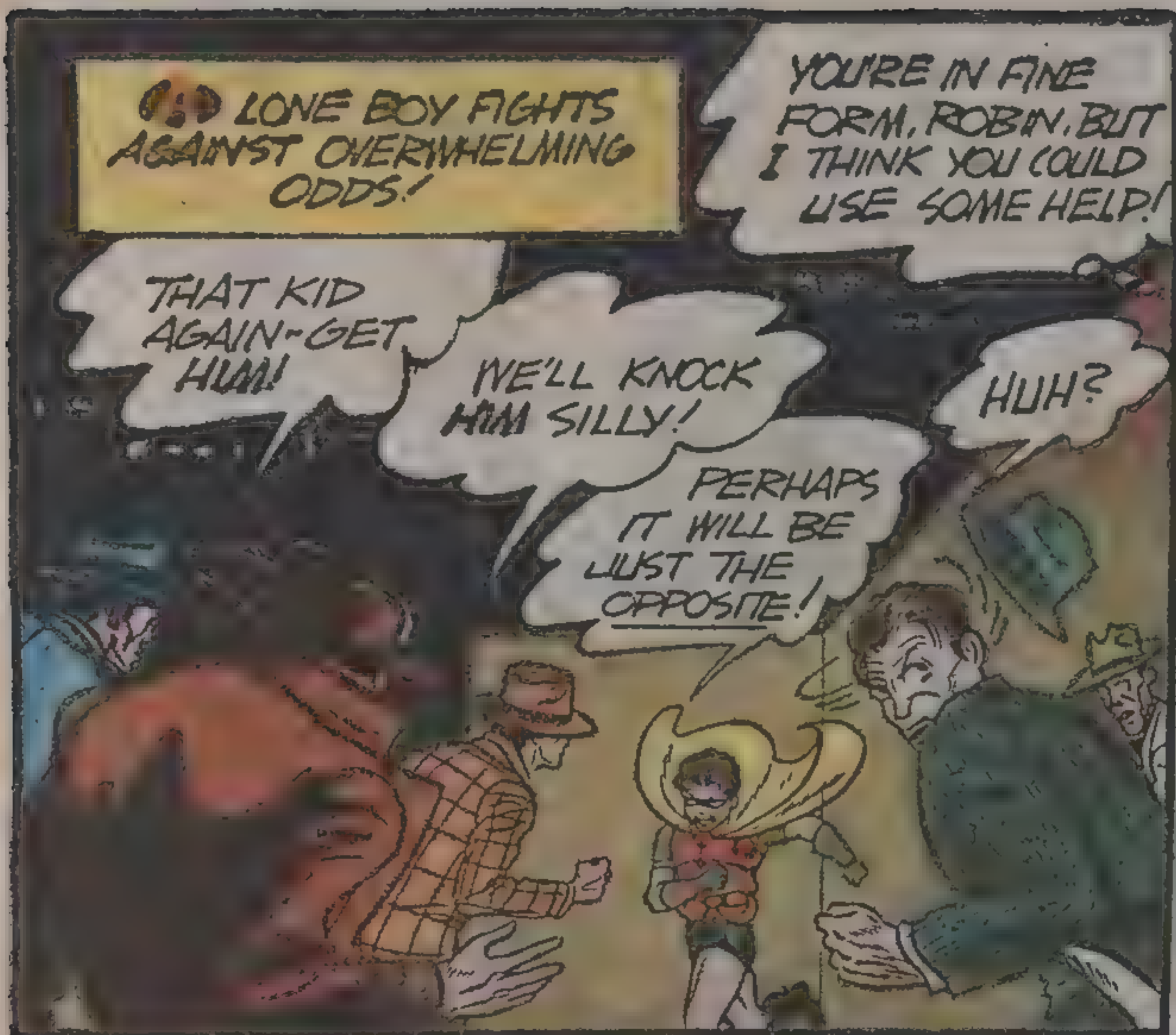
BLAKE SURE COINED A LOTTA DOUGH BY STICKING WITH US... UNTIL HE GOT PANICKY AND WANTED TO QUIT... BUT YOU FIXED HIM, EH, BOSS?

YEAH AND NOW SO THAT THIS KID DON'T TALK I'LL FIX HIM!

SURE, GET RID OF HIM HE'S TOO RISKY TO KEEP AROUND!

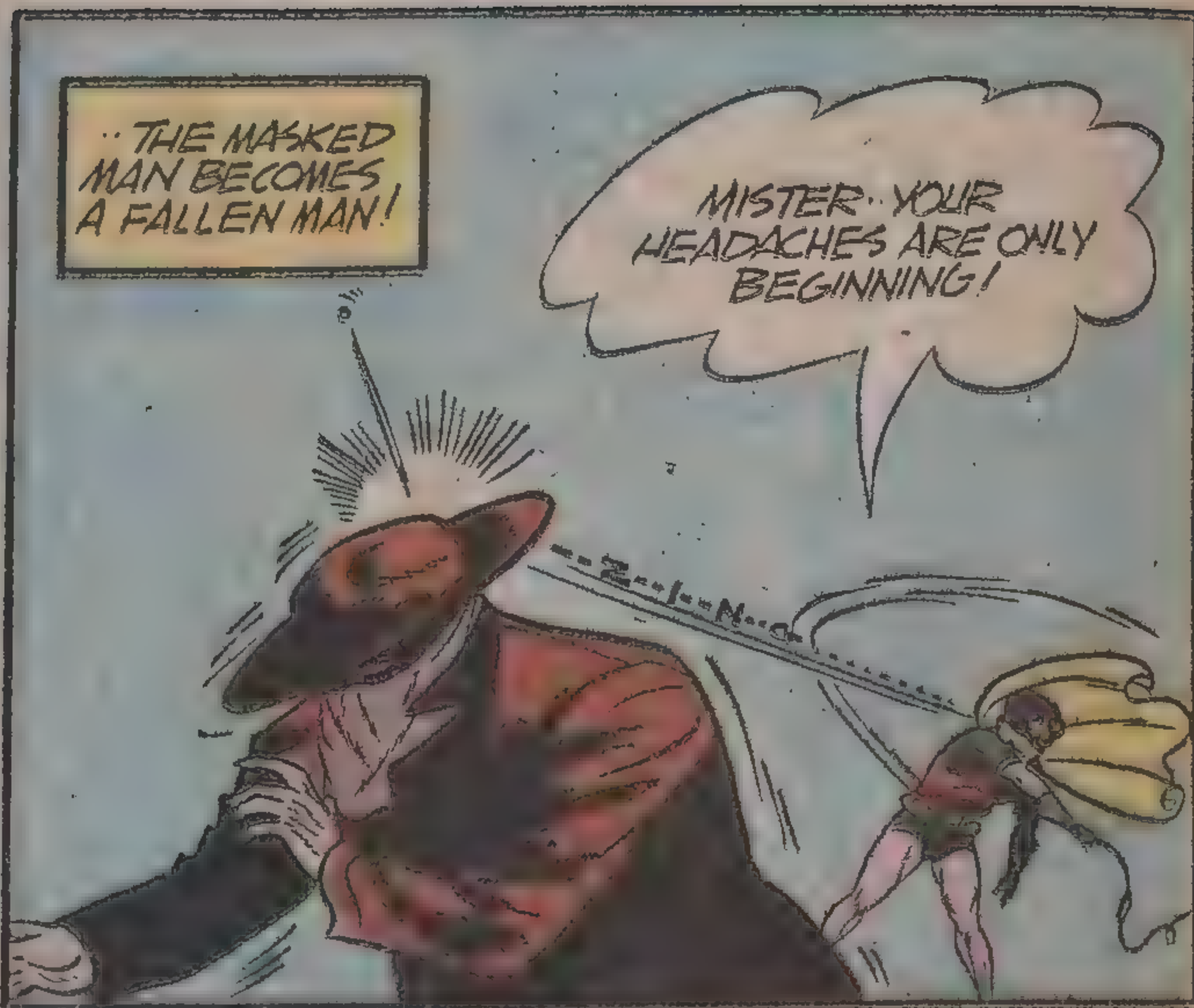
BRUITYLY THE DOOR BURSTS OPEN A HUMAN AVALANCHE STRIKES!

OUTA MY WAY...! THE EXPRESS IS COMIN' THRU!



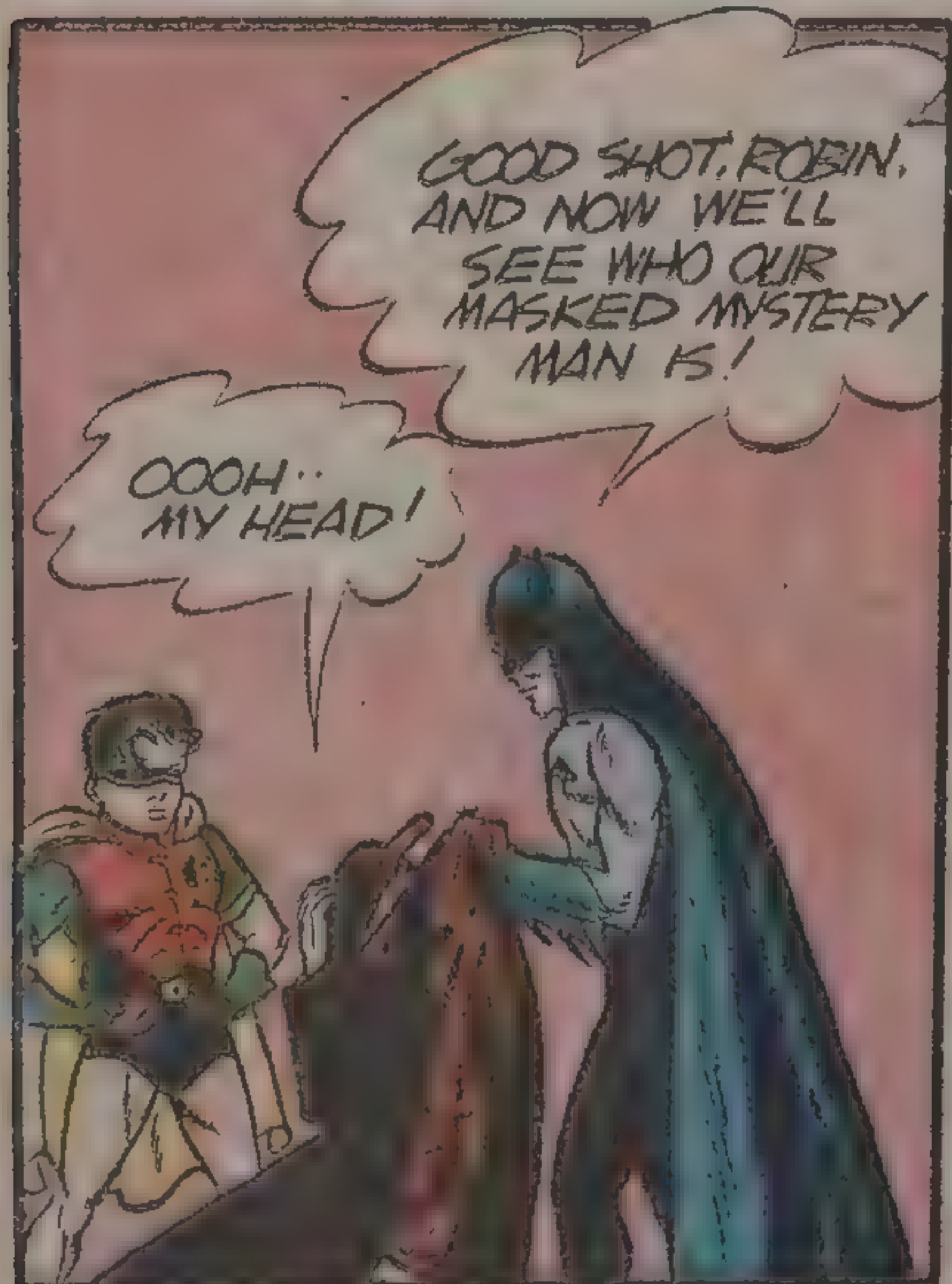


QUICKLY ROBIN UNFURLS HIS SLING...TWIRLS IT ABOUT HIS HEAD AND...



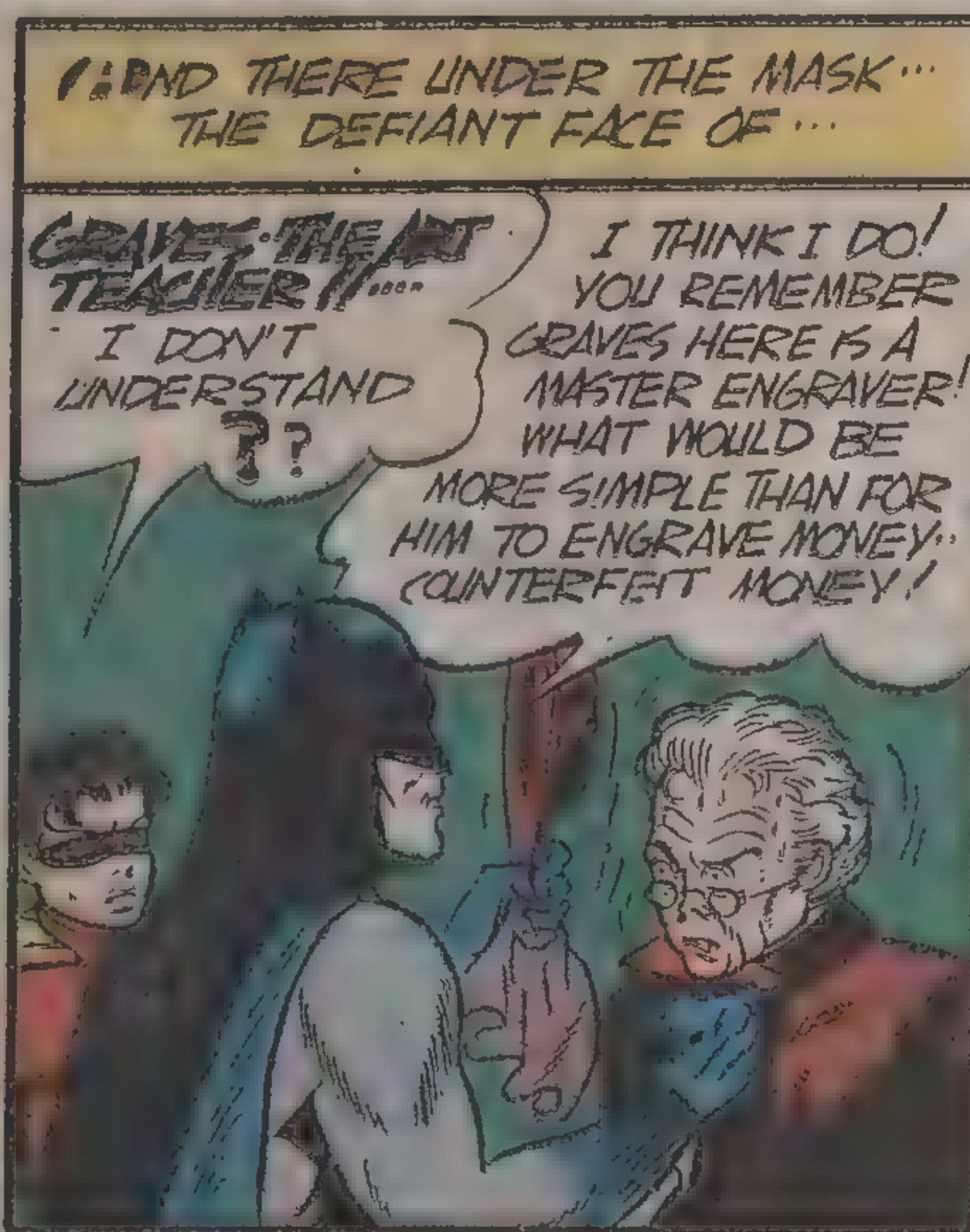
...THE MASKED MAN BECOMES A FALLEN MAN!

MISTER...YOUR HEADACHES ARE ONLY BEGINNING!



GOOD SHOT, ROBIN, AND NOW WE'LL SEE WHO OUR MASKED MYSTERY MAN IS!

OOOH...MY HEAD!

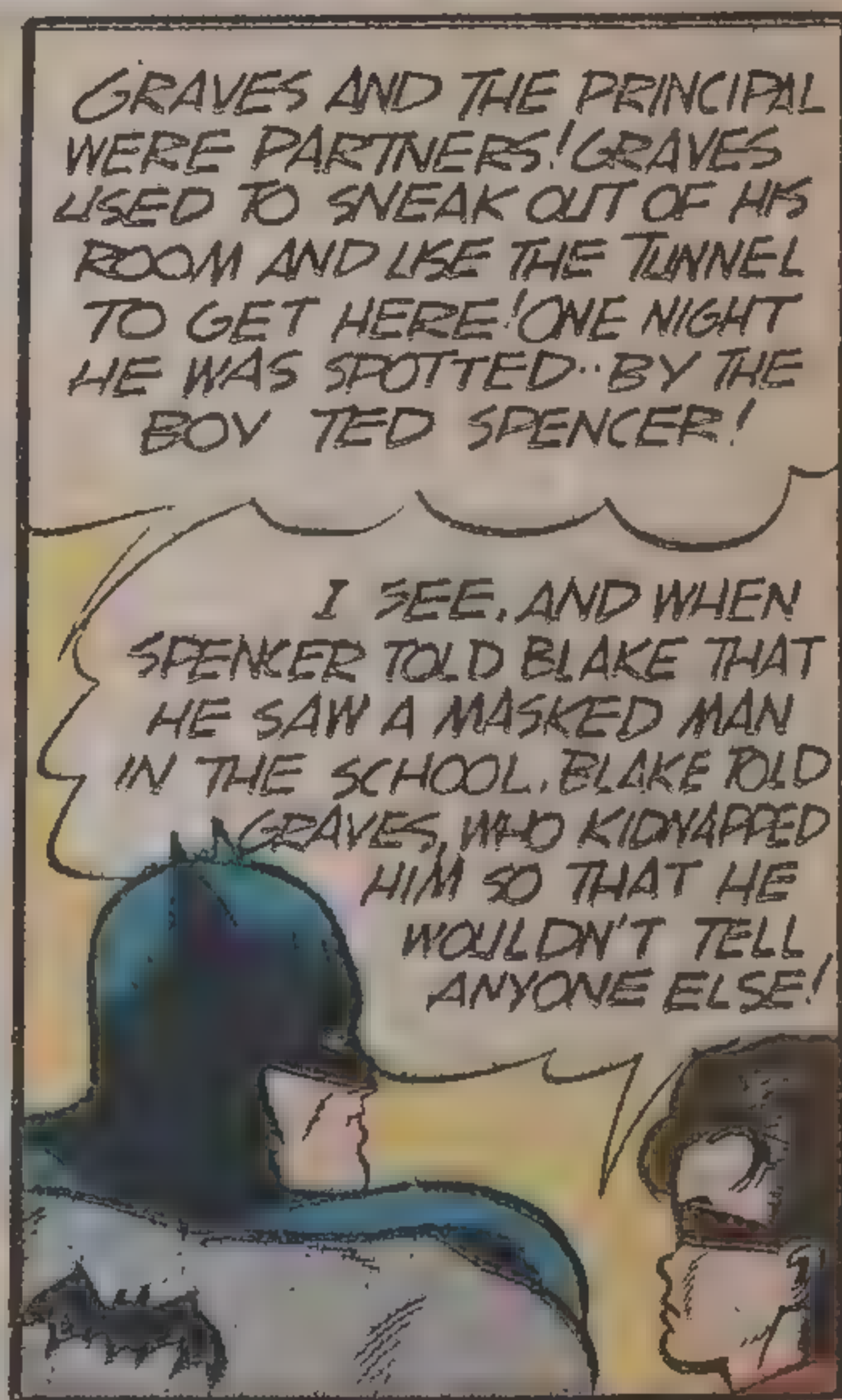


AND THERE UNDER THE MASK... THE DEFIANT FACE OF...

GRAVES...THE ART TEACHER!

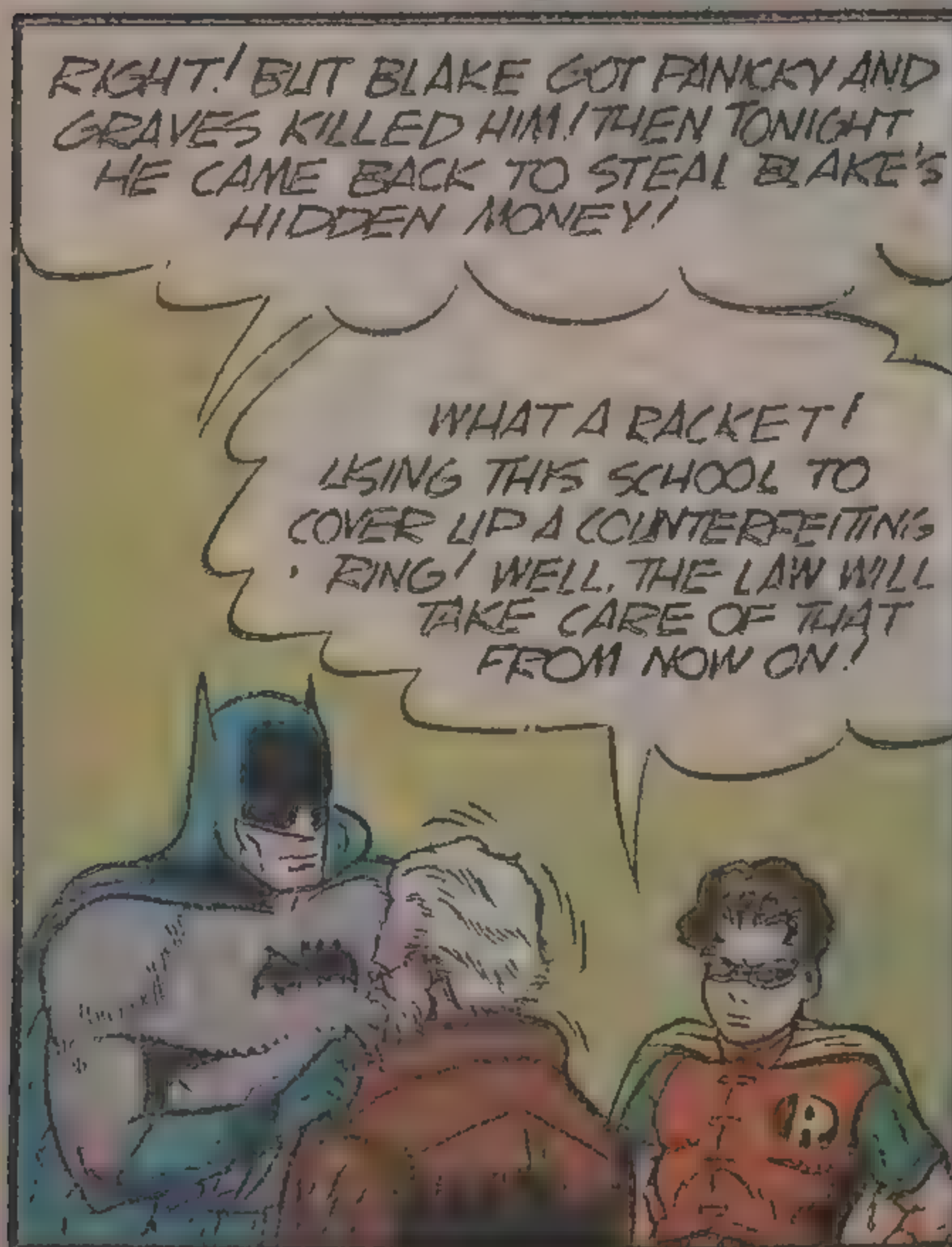
I DON'T UNDERSTAND??

I THINK I DO! YOU REMEMBER GRAVES HERE IS A MASTER ENGRAVER! WHAT WOULD BE MORE SIMPLE THAN FOR HIM TO ENGRAVE MONEY... COUNTERFEIT MONEY!



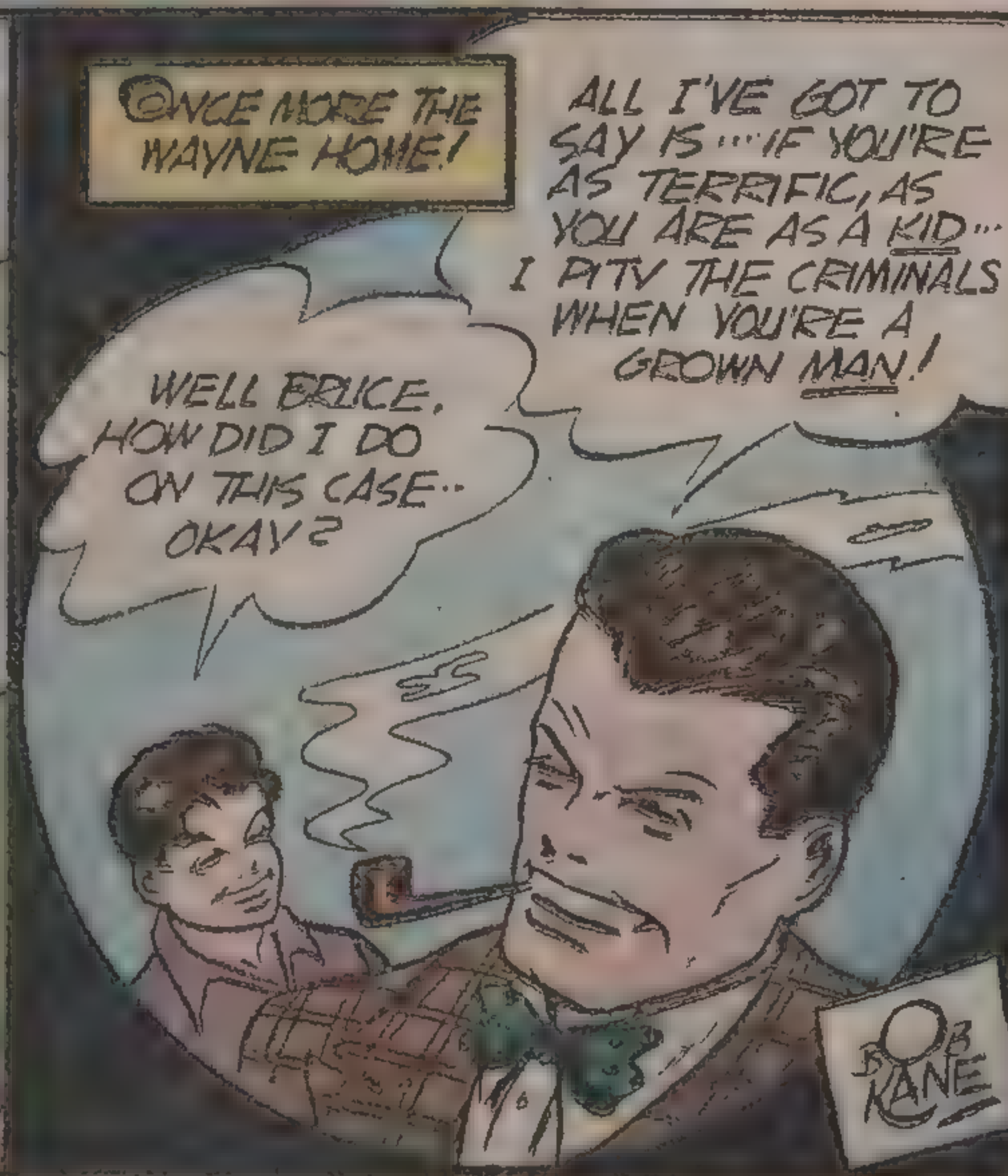
GRAVES AND THE PRINCIPAL WERE PARTNERS! GRAVES USED TO SNEAK OUT OF HIS ROOM AND USE THE TUNNEL TO GET HERE! ONE NIGHT HE WAS SPOTTED BY THE BOY TED SPENCER!

I SEE, AND WHEN SPENCER TOLD BLAKE THAT HE SAW A MASKED MAN IN THE SCHOOL, BLAKE TOLD GRAVES, WHO KIDNAPPED HIM SO THAT HE WOULDN'T TELL ANYONE ELSE!



RIGHT! BUT BLAKE GOT FANCKY AND GRAVES KILLED HIM! THEN TONIGHT HE CAME BACK TO STEAL BLAKE'S HIDDEN MONEY!

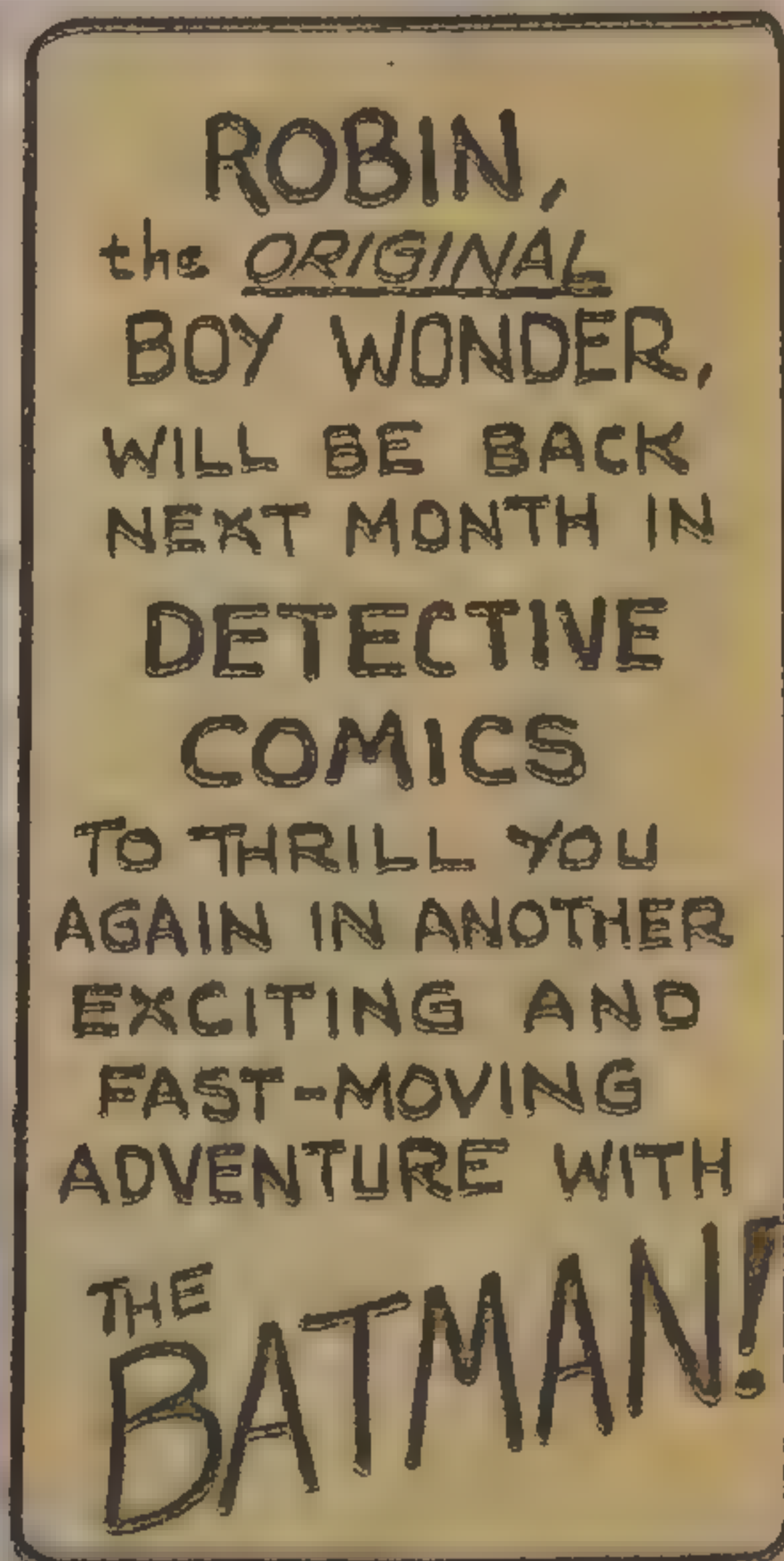
WHAT A RACKET! USING THIS SCHOOL TO COVER UP A COUNTERFEITING RING! WELL, THE LAW WILL TAKE CARE OF THAT FROM NOW ON!



ONCE MORE THE WAYNE HOME!

ALL I'VE GOT TO SAY IS...IF YOU'RE AS TERRIFIC, AS YOU ARE AS A KID... I PITY THE CRIMINALS WHEN YOU'RE A GROWN MAN!

WELL ERICE, HOW DID I DO ON THIS CASE... OKAY?

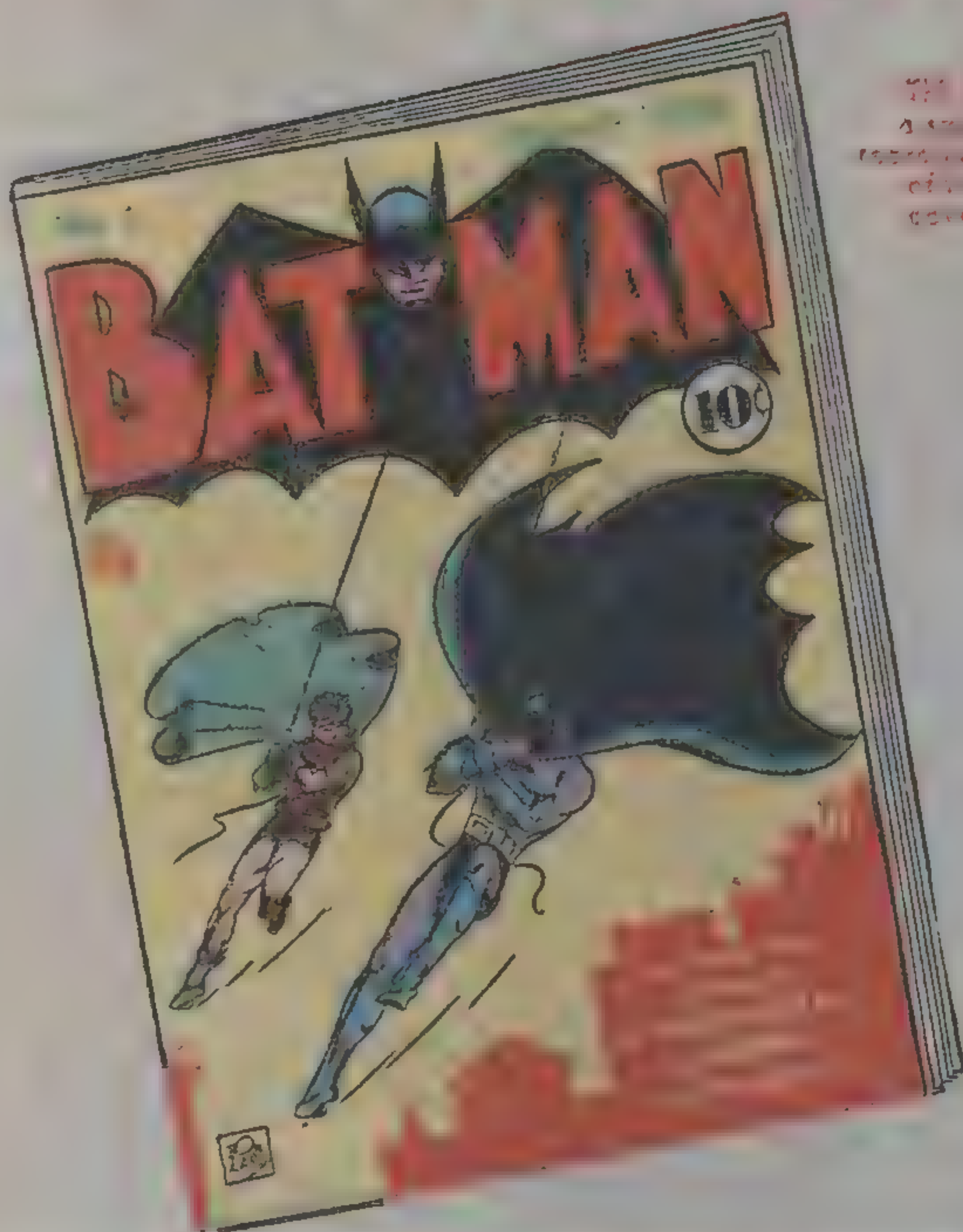


ROBIN, the ORIGINAL BOY WONDER, WILL BE BACK NEXT MONTH IN DETECTIVE COMICS

TO THRILL YOU AGAIN IN ANOTHER EXCITING AND FAST-MOVING ADVENTURE WITH

THE BATMAN!

HERE IT IS!



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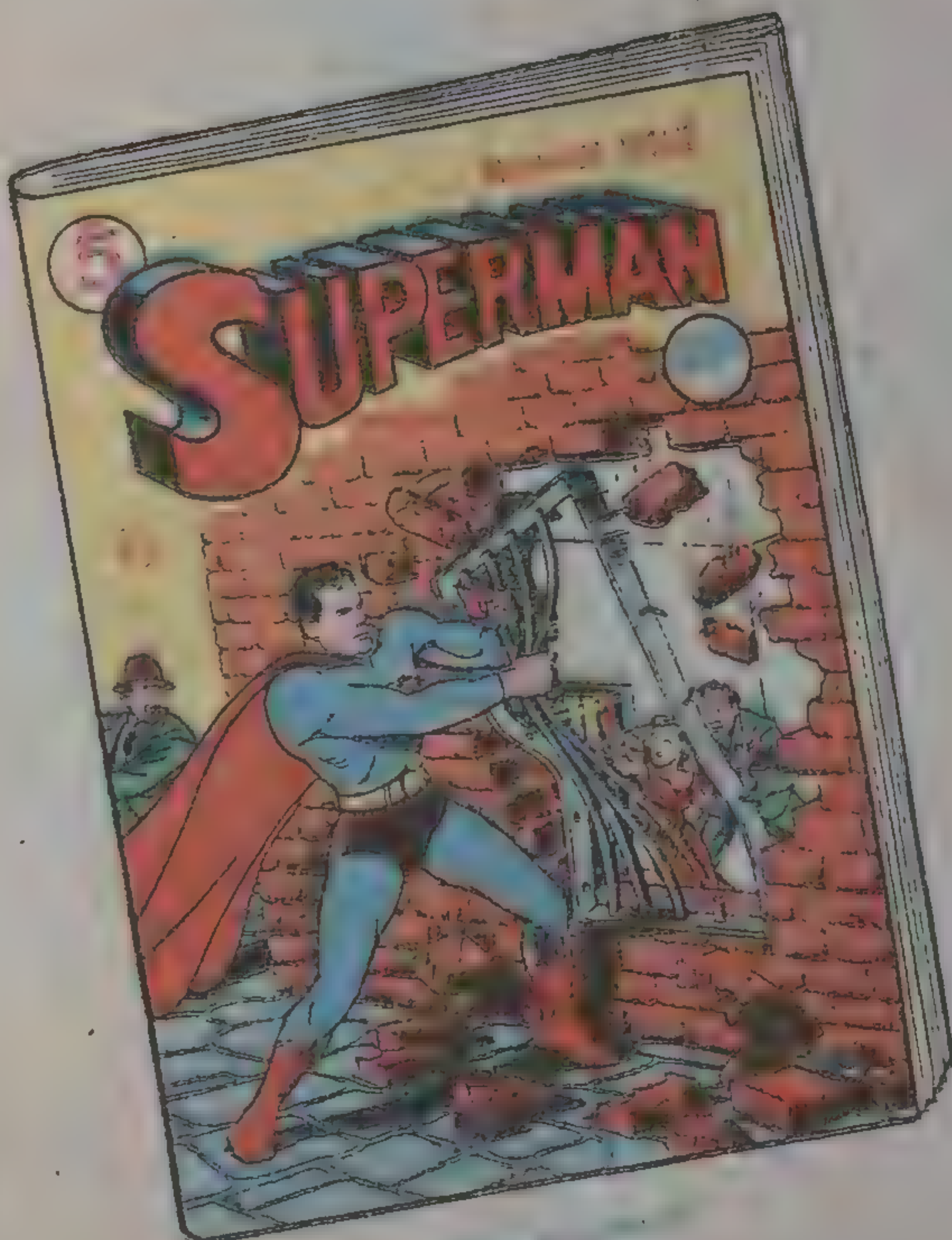
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BART REGAN, ACE AMERICAN SECRET SERVICE AGENT, PAUSES IN HIS STRIDE, STARTLED, AS HE GLIMPSES.....

NORMAN NOVANEY, A NOTORIOUS INTERNATIONAL SPY! WHAT'S HE DOING HERE IN THE MILITARY RESEARCH BUILDING??



AS BART WATCHES FROM CONCEALMENT, A PASSING CLERK SURREPTITIOUSLY SLIPS NOVANEY A CIGARETTE.

UNDOUBTEDLY A CLEVER WAY OF TRANSFERRING A DOCUMENT UNDETECTED!



WHEN NOVANEY LEAVES THE BUILDING, BART FOLLOWS IN PURSUIT....

FOLLOW THAT CAR!



NEVER MIND THAT RED LIGHT, DRIVER! I'M A FEDERAL AGENT.....KEEP THAT CAR IN SIGHT!

WHATEVER YOU SAY, SIR!



IN THE MAD DASH TO CATCH UP WITH THE AUTO AHEAD, THE TAXI NARROWLY MISSES A COLLISION.....



AS THEY NEAR THE SPY'S AUTO, BART SWINGS ONTO HIS TAXI'S RUNNING-BOARD.....

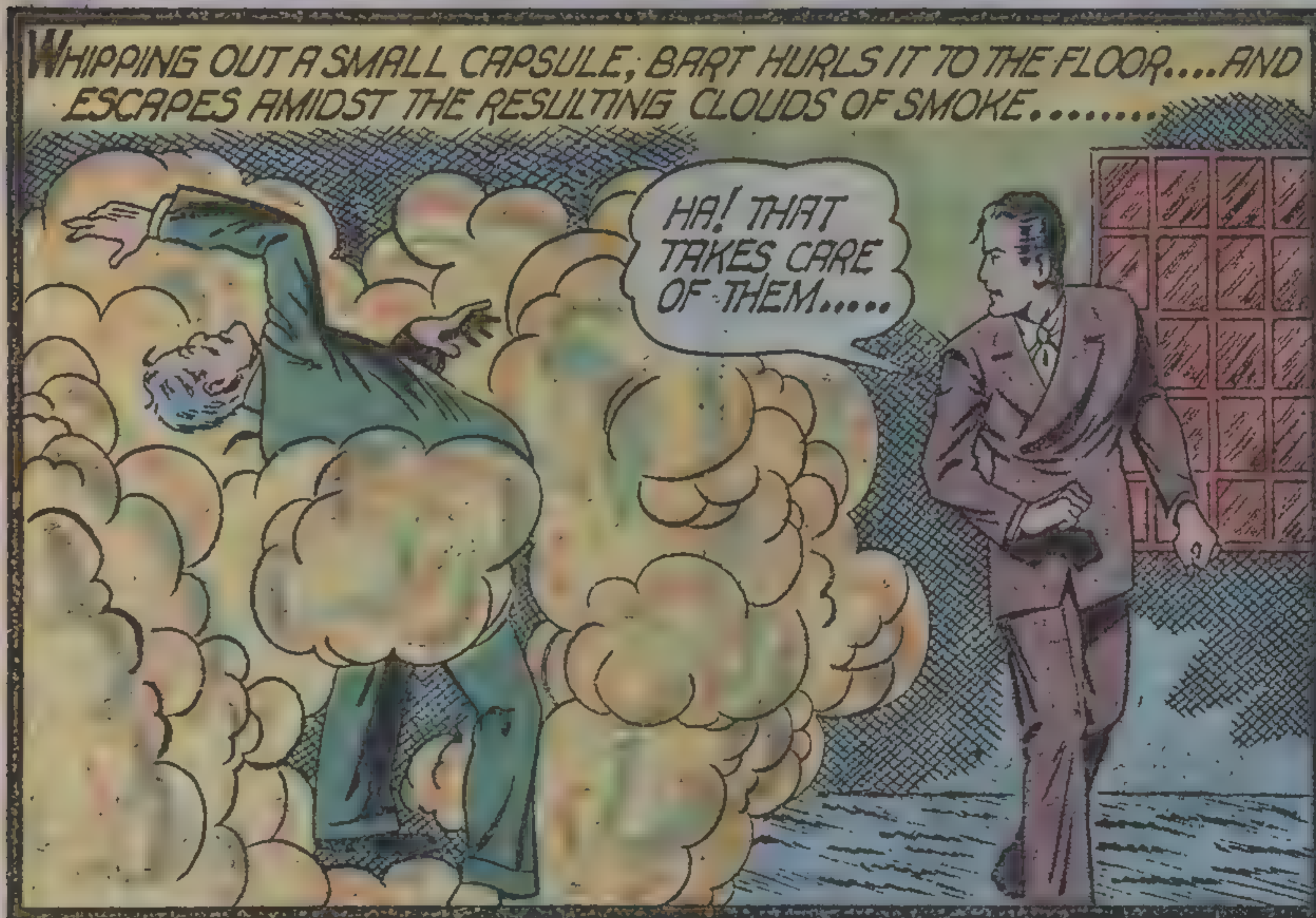
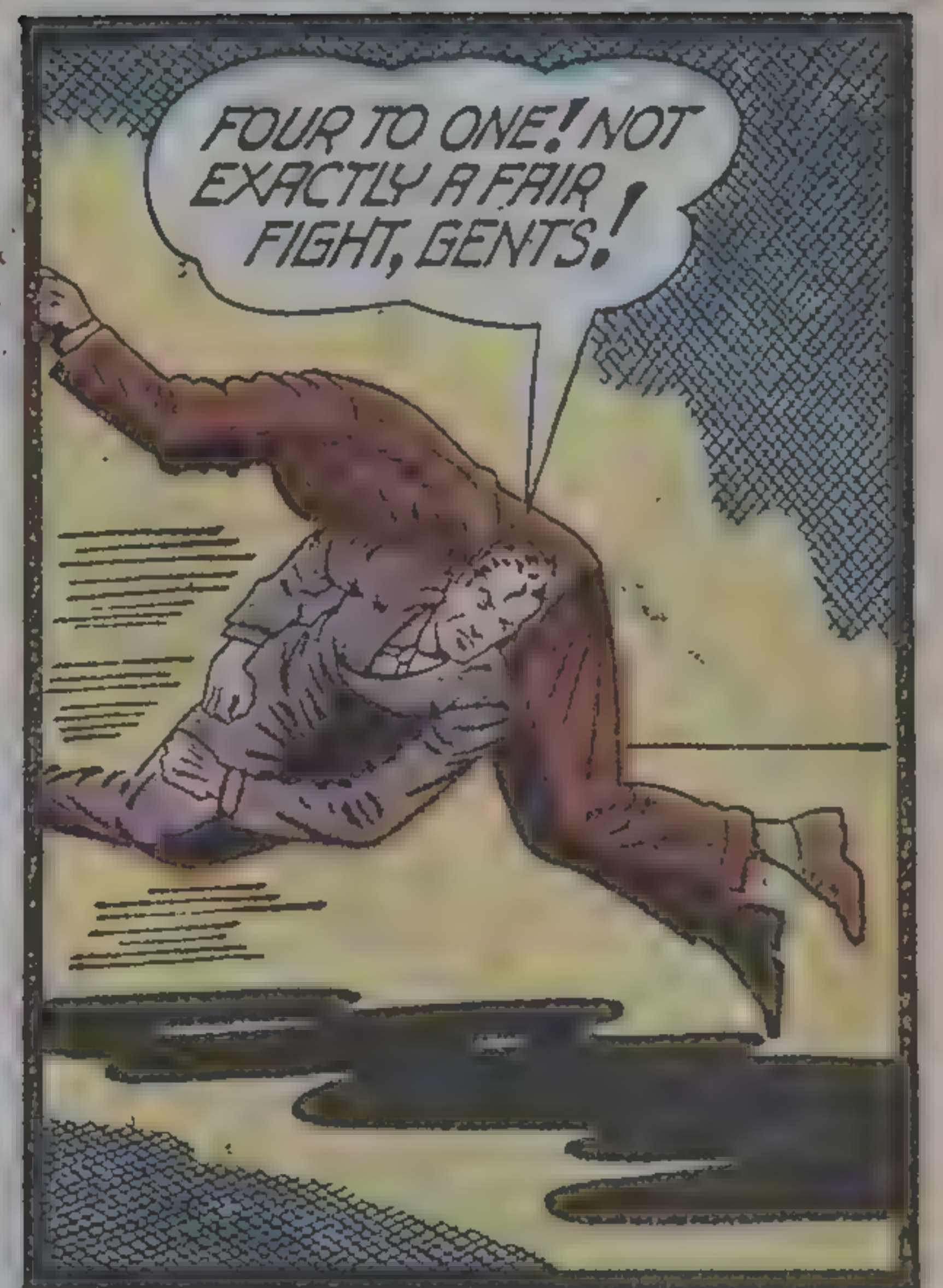
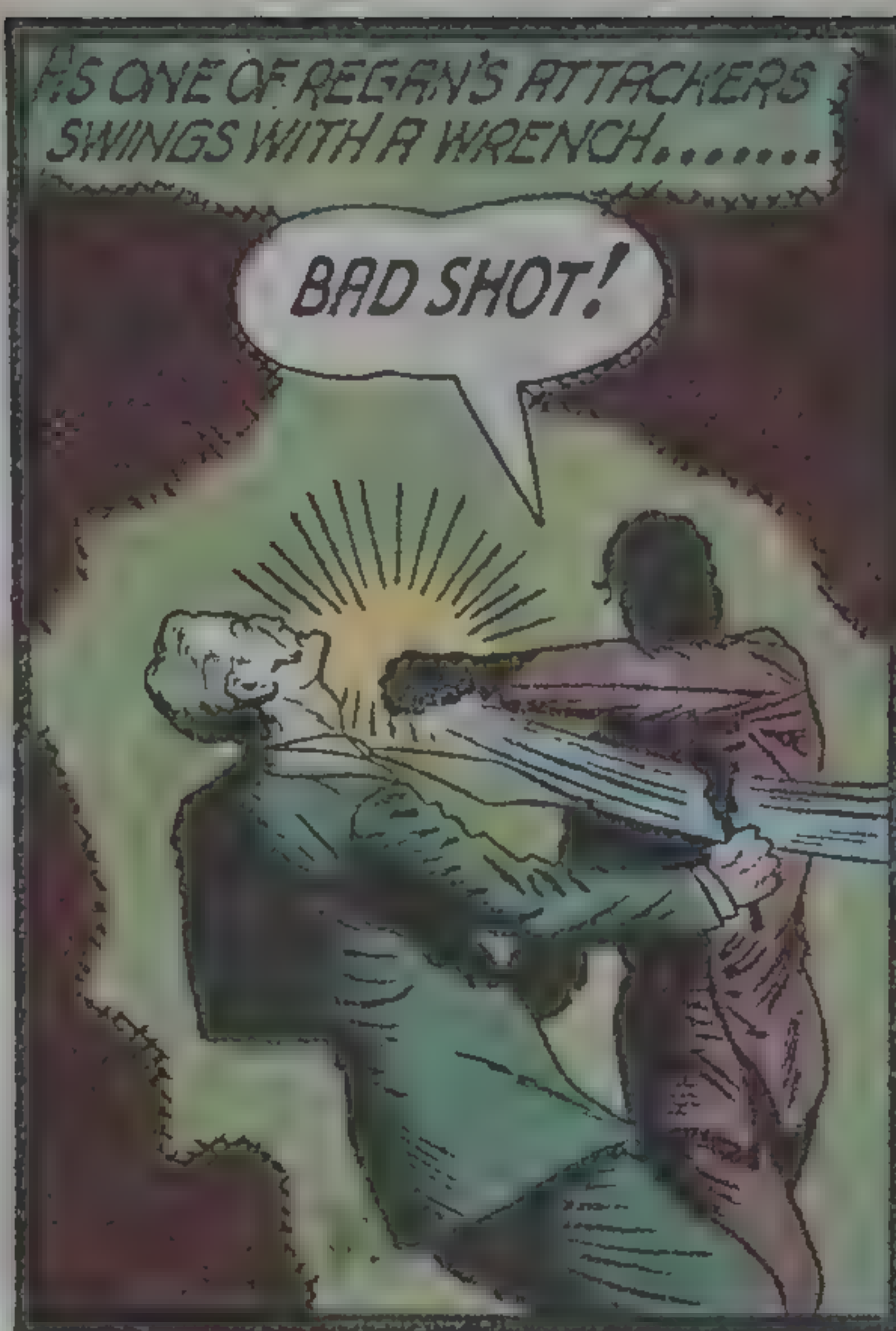
SWING CLOSE, SO THAT I CAN BOARD THE OTHER CAR!....



BUT—JUST AS BART IS ABOUT TO LEAP, HIS TAXI UNEXPECTEDLY SWERVES INTO A PUBLIC GARAGE.....

SAY! WHAT GOES ON??





BART HURRIES TO THE PLACE'S REAR....

CAN'T LET THAT
BIRD GET AWAY!

IN TIME TO SEE THE CLERK EMERGE
THRU A BACK DOOR AND ENTER A
MOTOR BOAT..

AND I'M WEARING A
BRAND-NEW SUIT, TOO!

CLUTCHING A TRAILING ROPE, BART IS
PULLED THRU THE WATER AFTER THE
MOTORBOAT...

I'VE... GOT... TO
.... HOLD... ON!

WHO?...?
WHAT...?

ER....
HELLO...

A GOVERNMENT SPY!
EH? I'LL SHOW YOU....!

BART SINKS..... STUNNED.....!

AND AS BART RISES.....!

BULLETS!... HE'S
FIRING AT ME, THE
COWARDLY DOG...!

TO ESCAPE THE HAIL OF BULLETS, BART DIVES UNDER WATER.

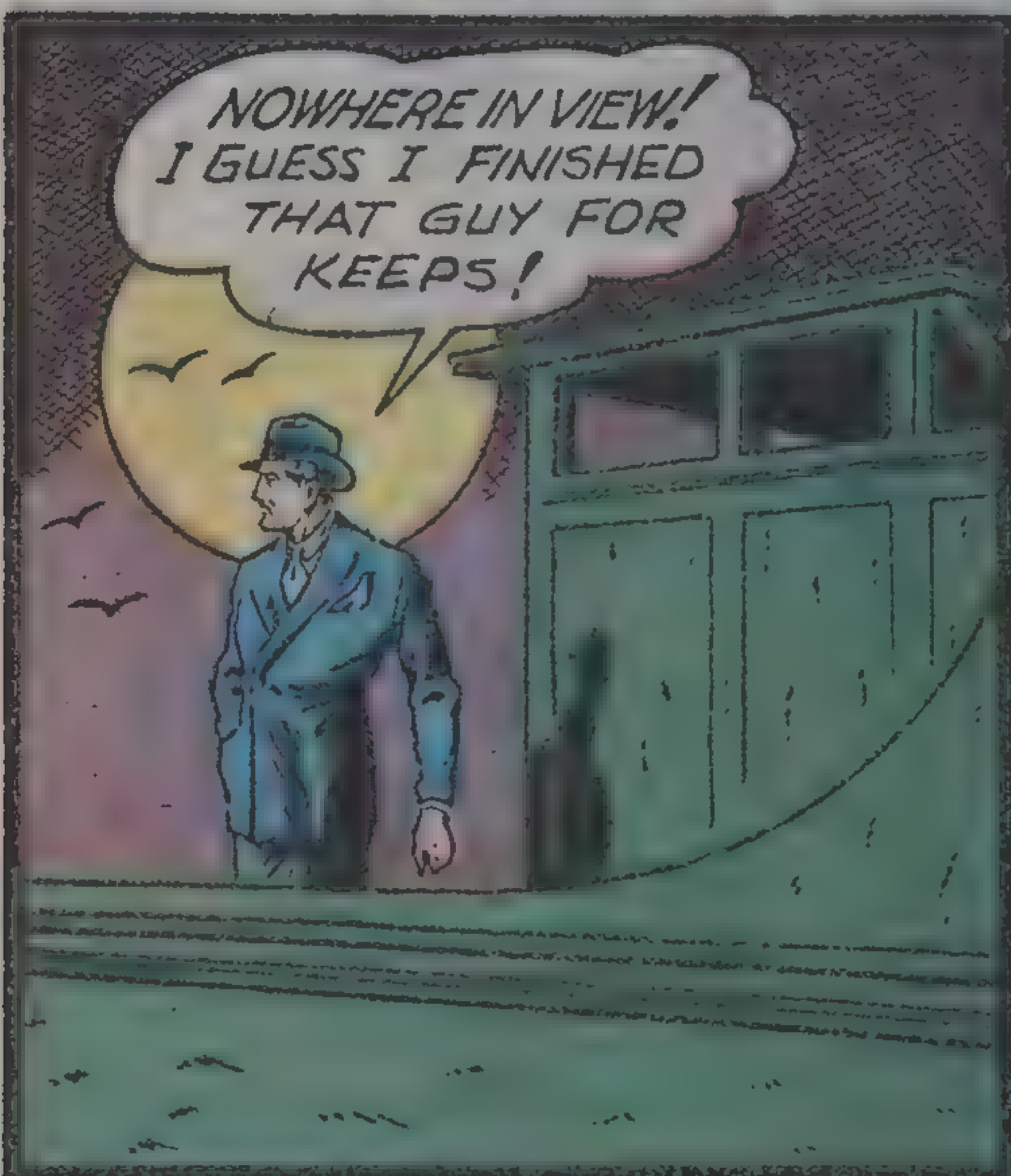


MOMENTS LATER, HE EMERGES BENEATH THE BOAT'S SIDE TO GRASP FOR AIR.



IF HE SIGHTS ME, I'M DONE FOR....

NOWHERE IN VIEW!
I GUESS I FINISHED
THAT GUY FOR
KEEPS!



AS THE MOTORBOAT
CONTINUES ON TO A
NEARBY SHORE ES-
TATE, BART SWIMS
AFTER IT!



LATER....WADING UP ONTO SHORE, BART
WALKS TO A NEARBY HOUSE AND PEERS
THRU THE WINDOW.

THE TWO SCOUNDRELS
TOGETHER.... JUST AS I
THOUGHT THEY'D BE!



WITHIN THE HOUSE...

THANK YOU FOR
YOUR GENEROSITY!

STEAL MORE
VALUABLE
GOVERNMENT
SECRETS FOR
ME, AND YOU'LL
PROFIT AGAIN!

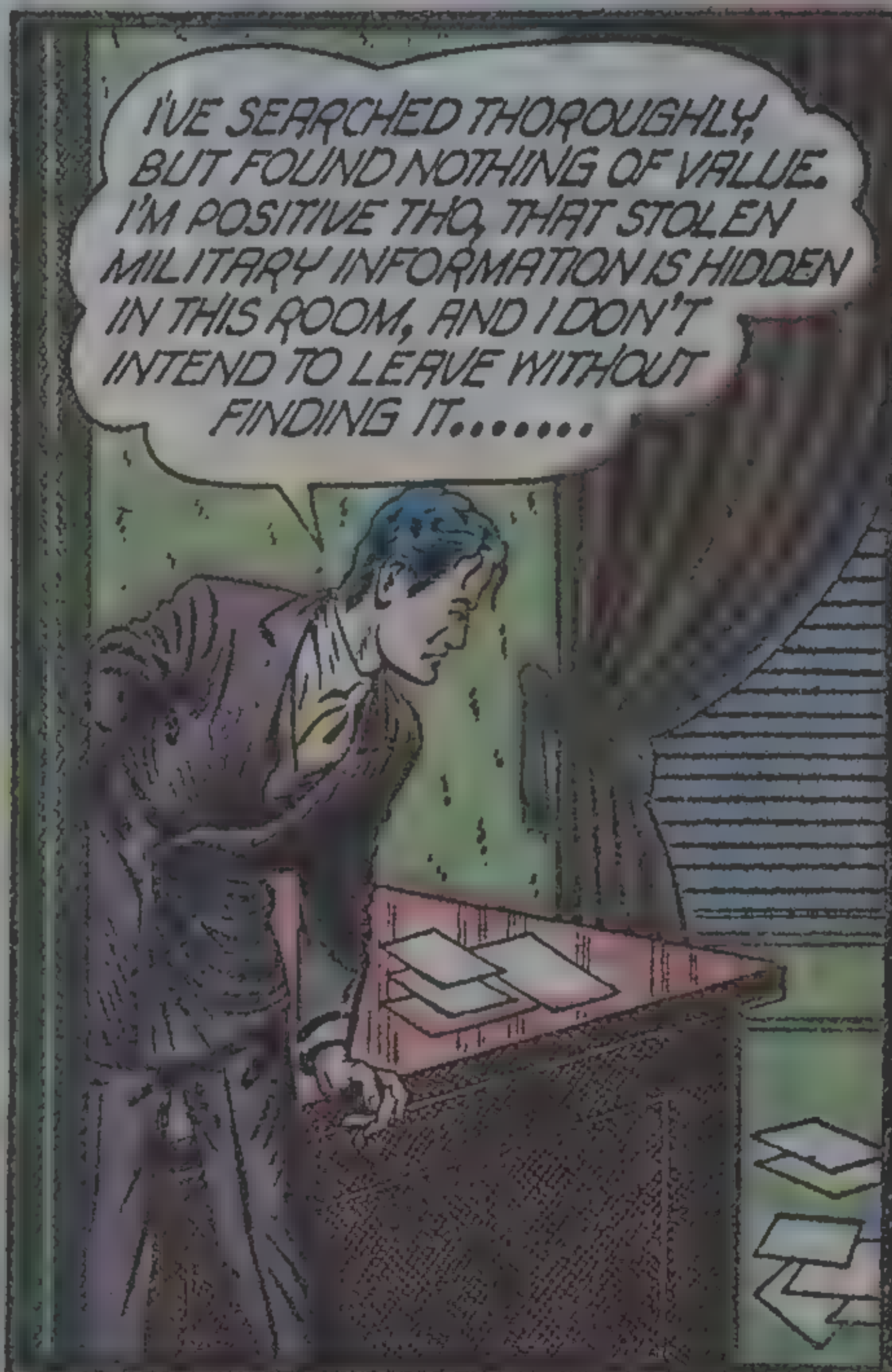


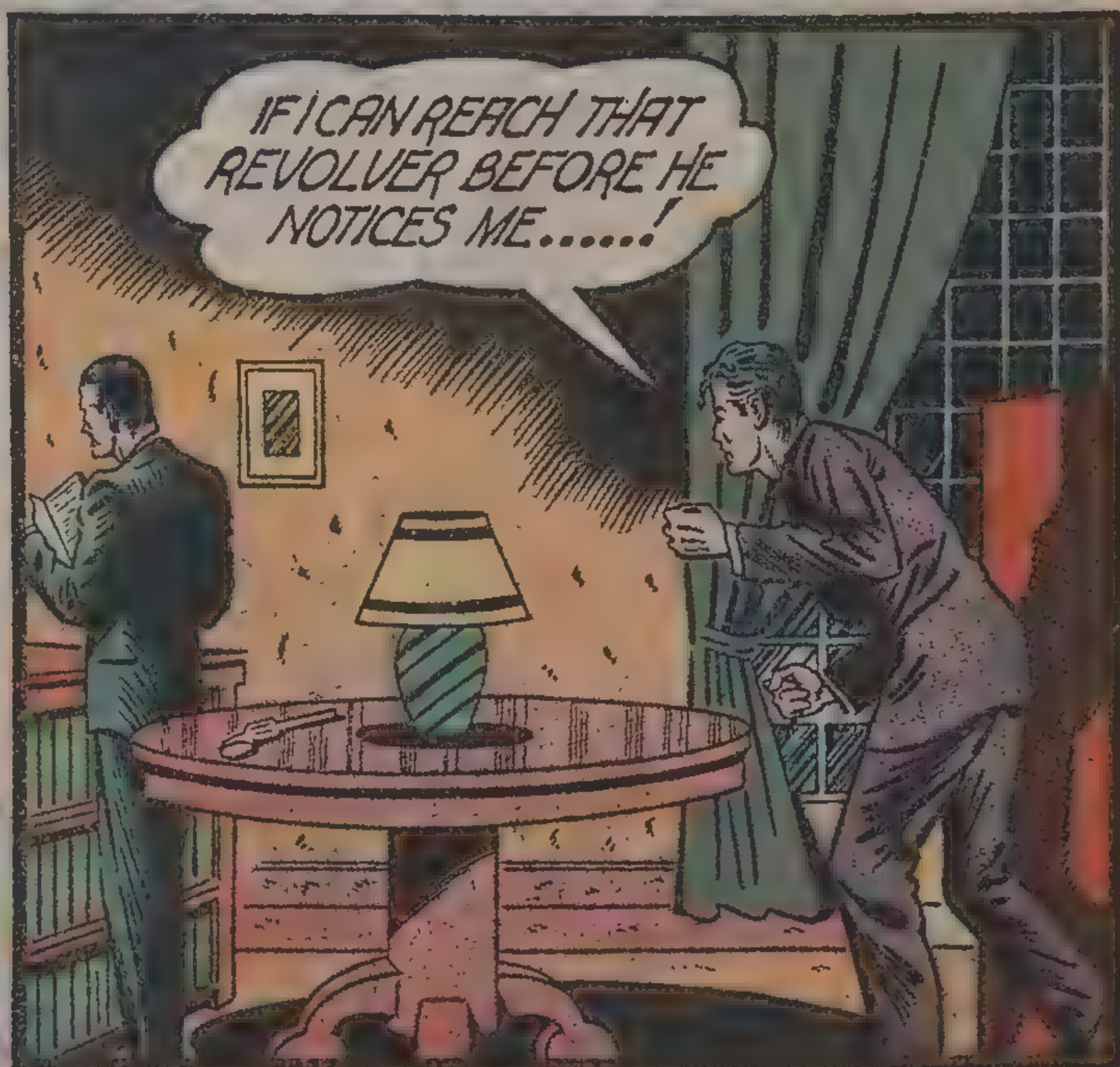
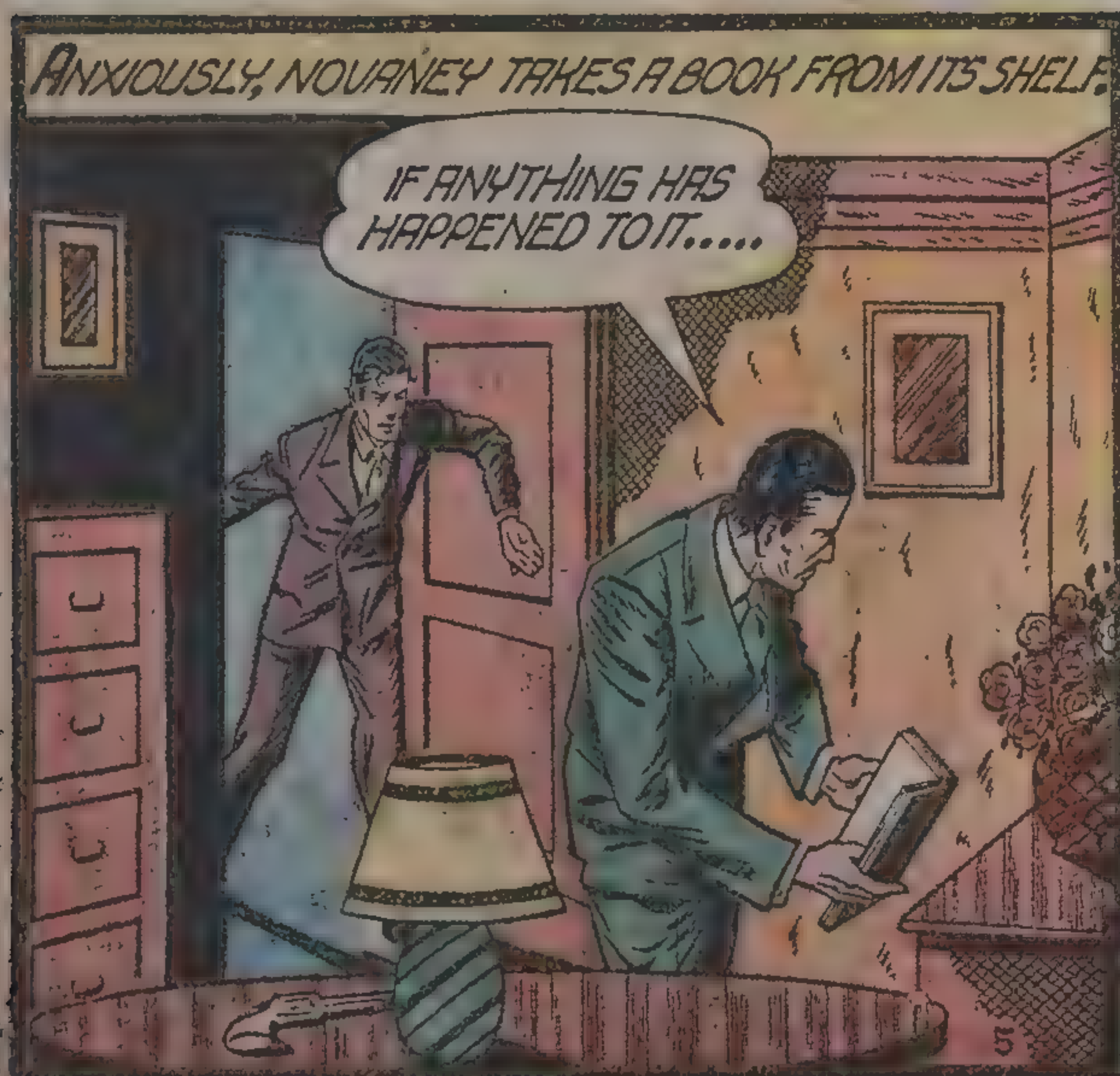
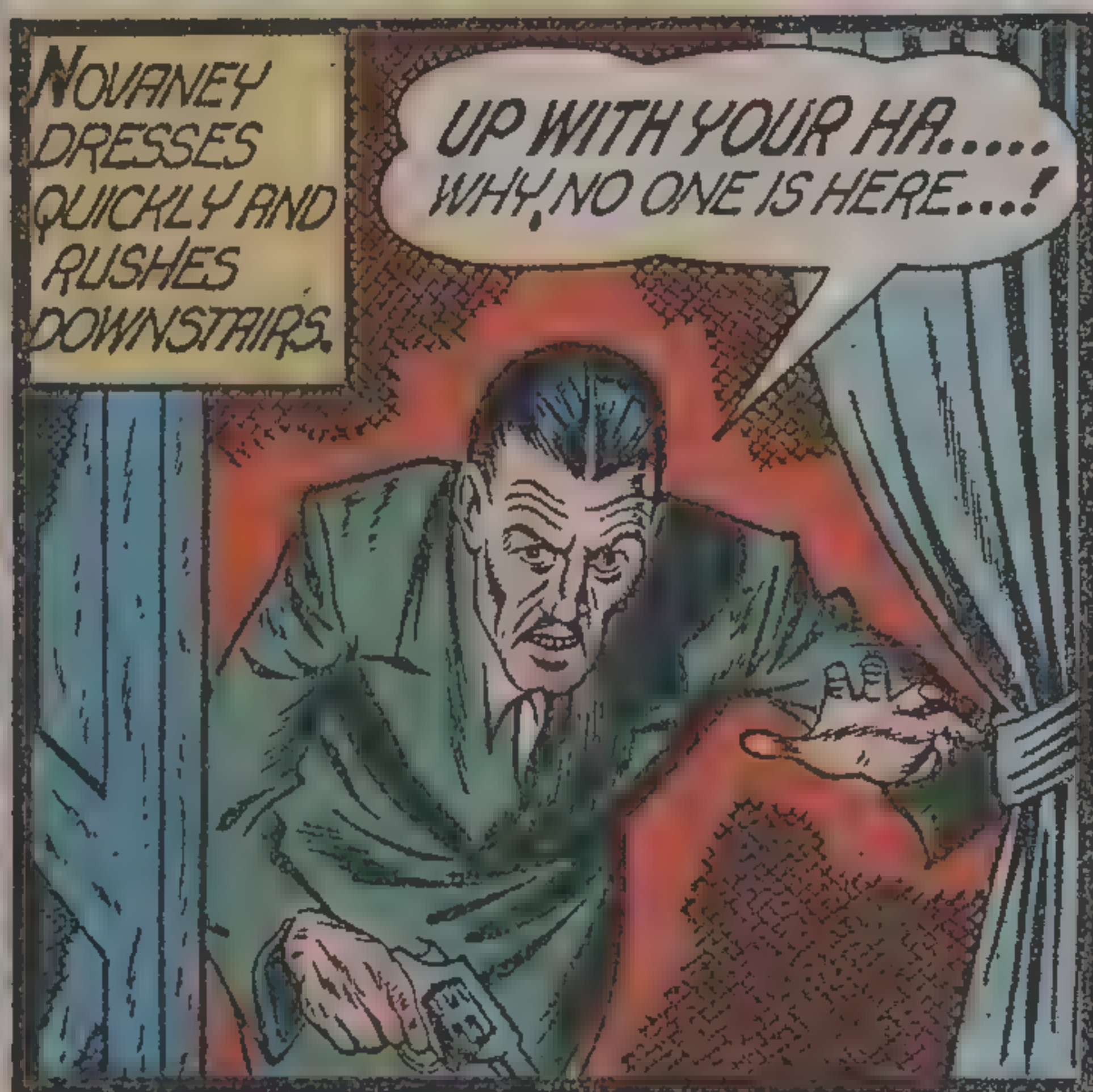
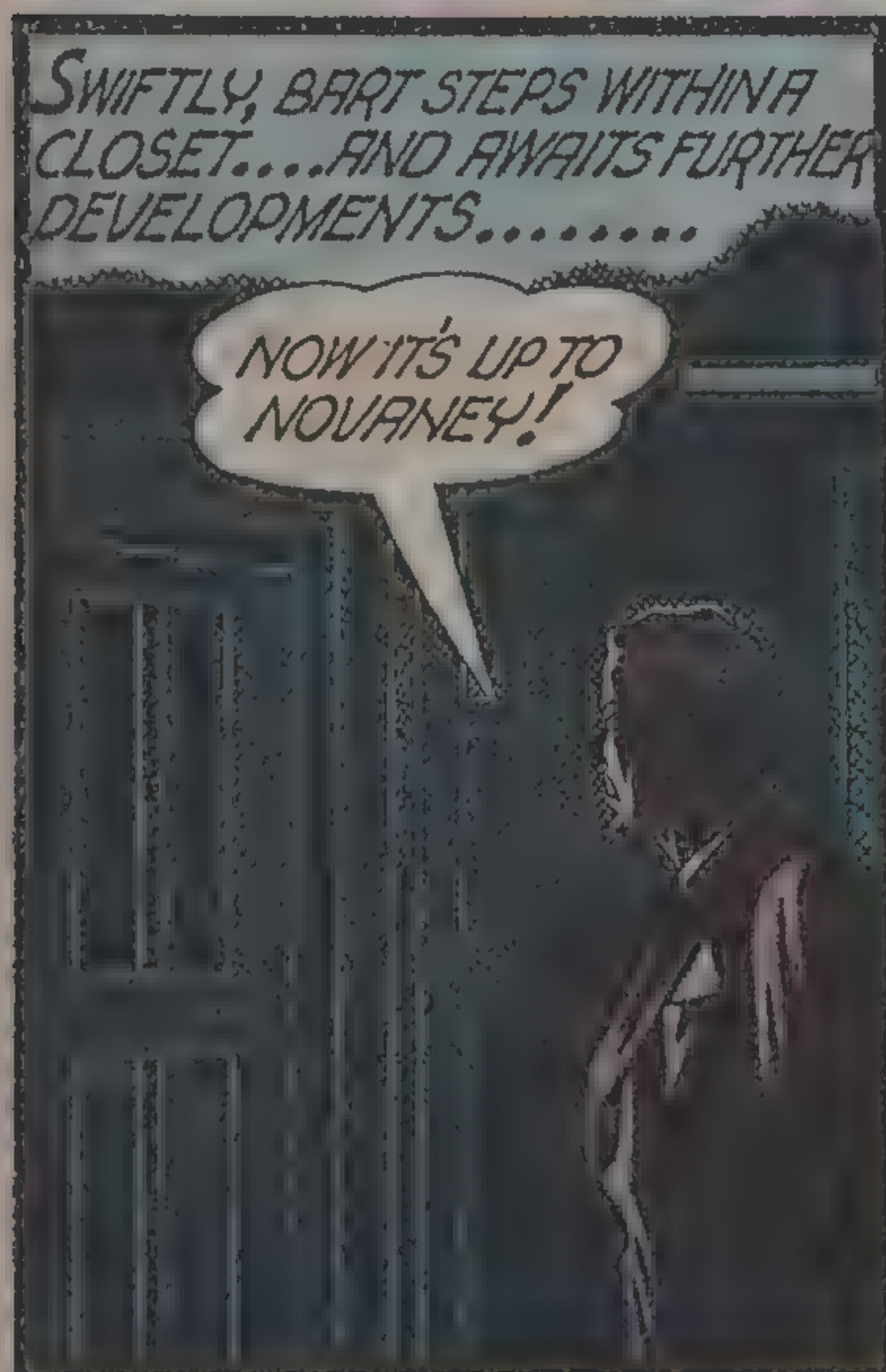
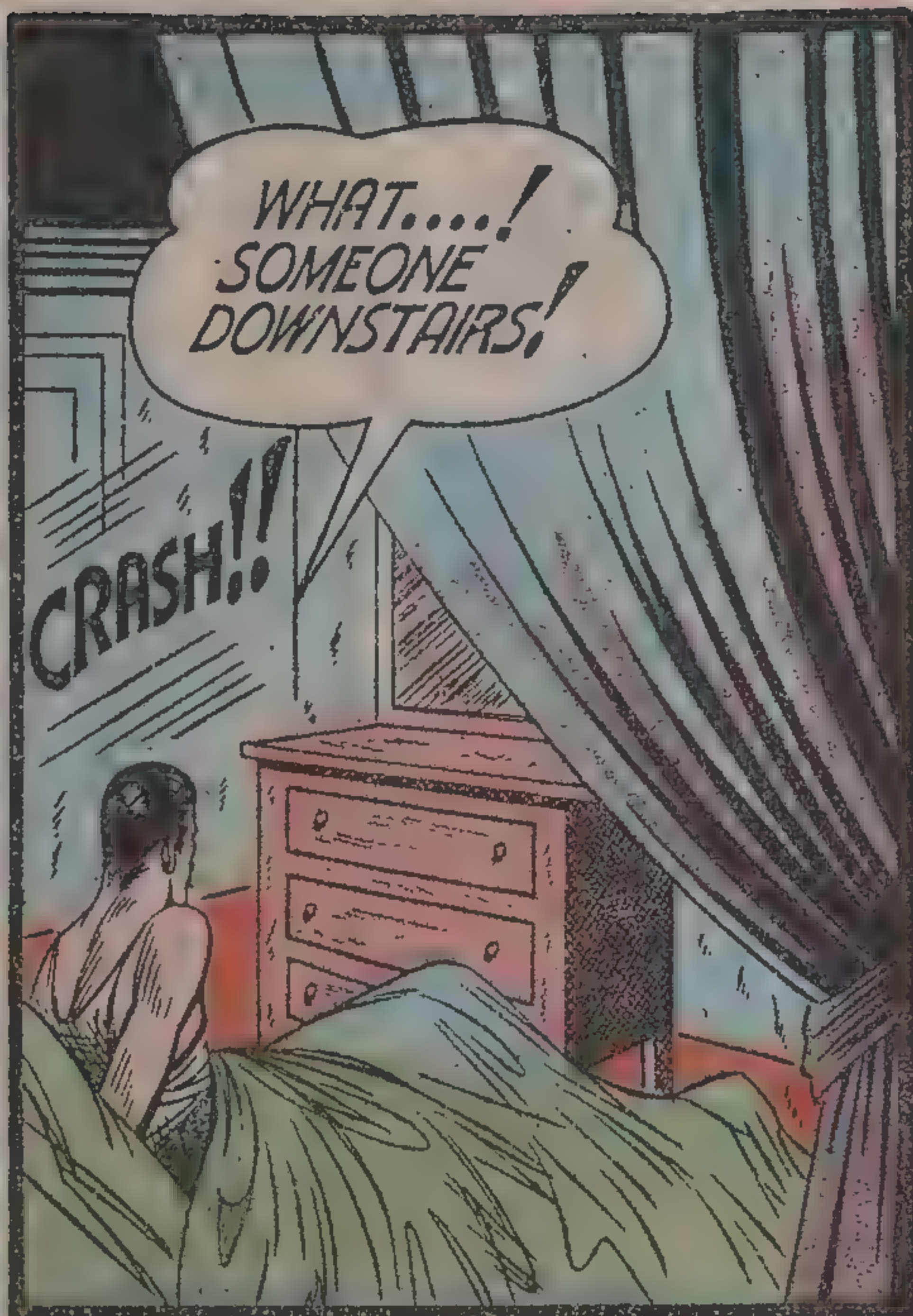
AFTER THE CLERK
DEPARTS...

THE HOUSE IS COM-
PLETELY DARK....
NOVANEY MUST
HAVE RETIRED!...
NOW TO BREAK IN!

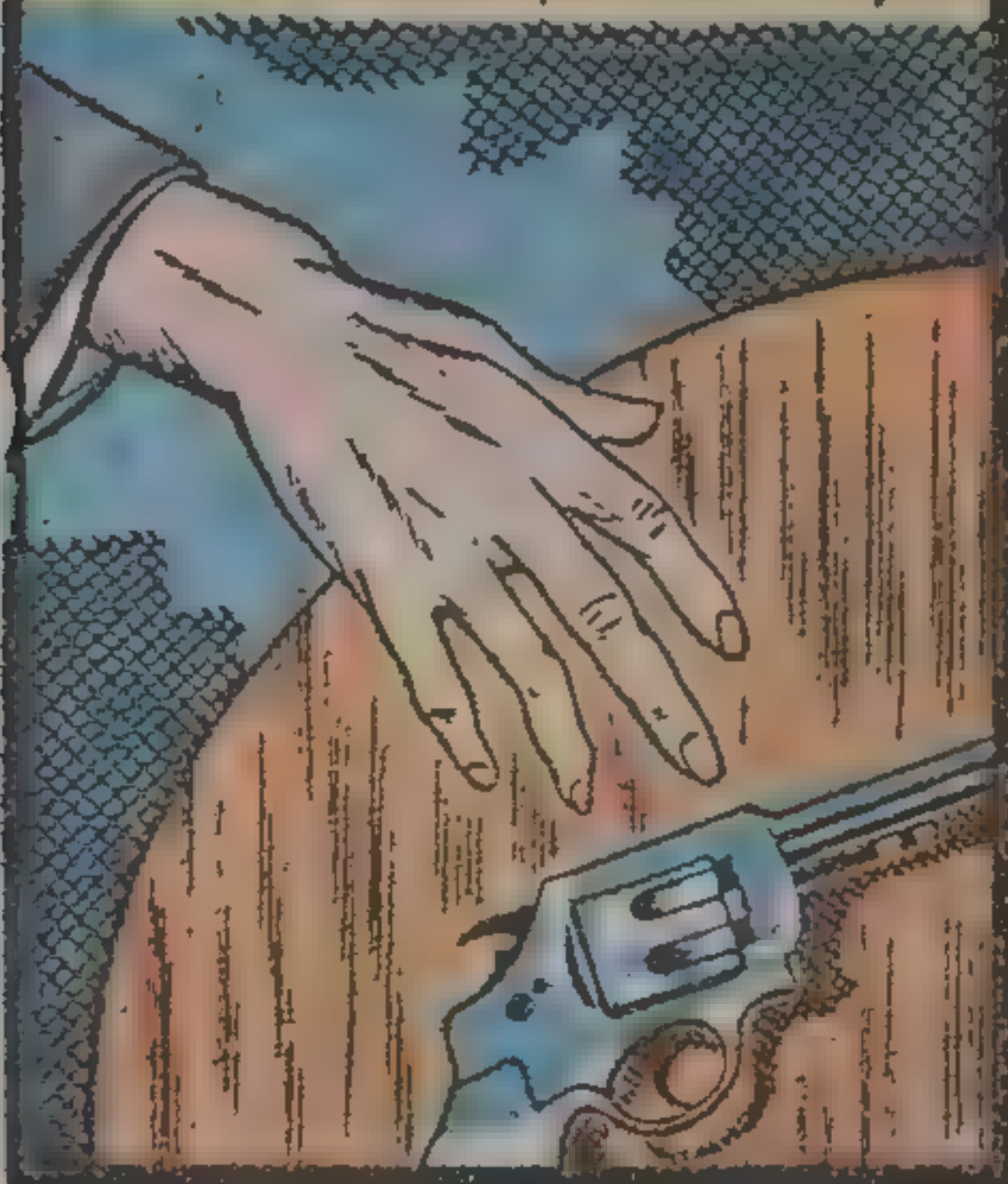


I'VE SEARCHED THOROUGHLY,
BUT FOUND NOTHING OF VALUE.
I'M POSITIVE THO, THAT STOLEN
MILITARY INFORMATION IS HIDDEN
IN THIS ROOM, AND I DON'T
INTEND TO LEAVE WITHOUT
FINDING IT.....





AS BART'S HAND ALMOST TOUCHES THE REVOLVER...



HIS FOOT STRIKES AN OBJECT ON THE FLOOR, GIVING HIM AWAY.....



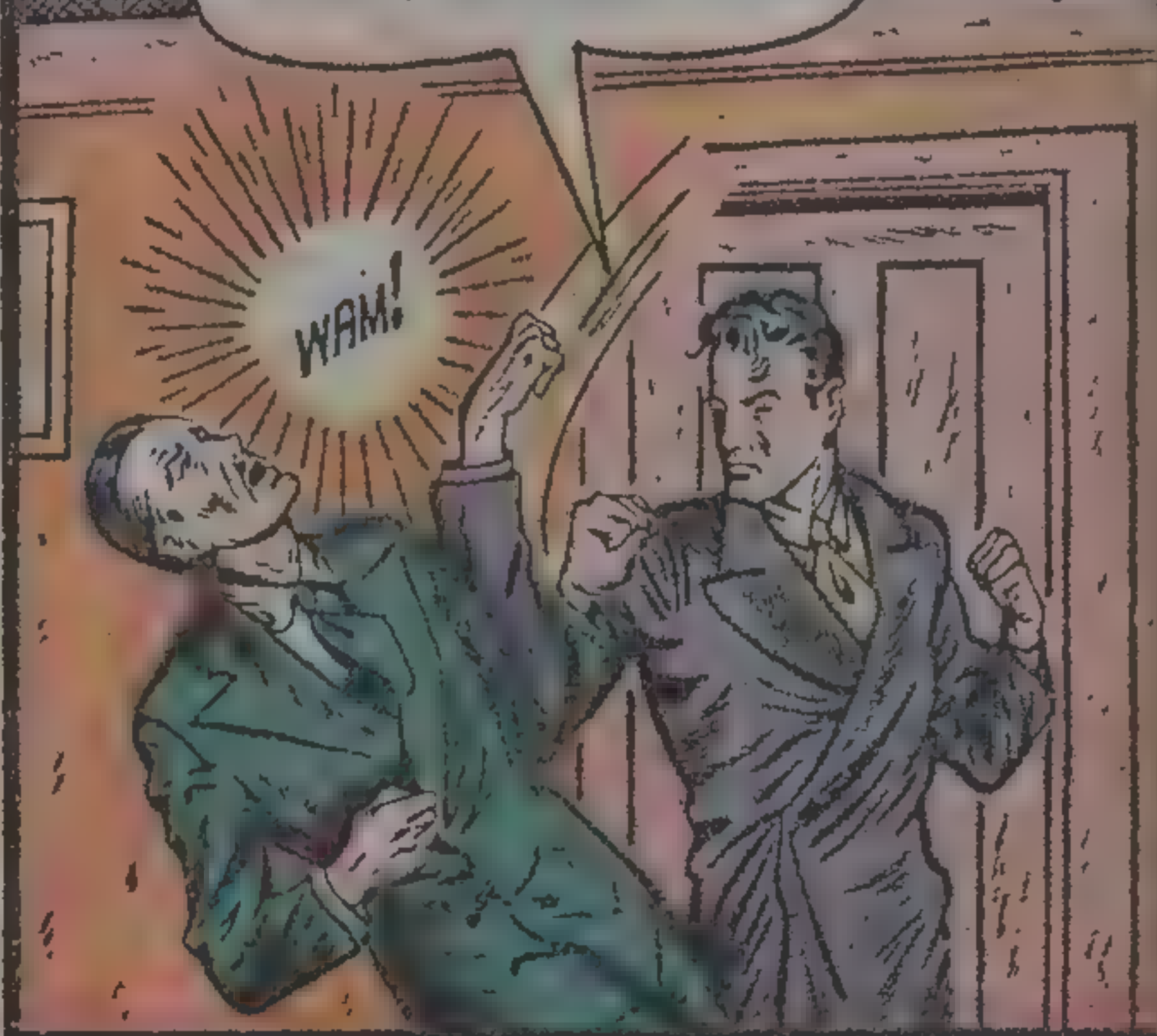
WHIRLING LIKE A CAT, NOUVANEY HURLS THE VOLUME AT BART.....



DUCKING, BART HURLS HIMSELF AT THE SPY.....



PARDON MY LACK OF GLOVES!



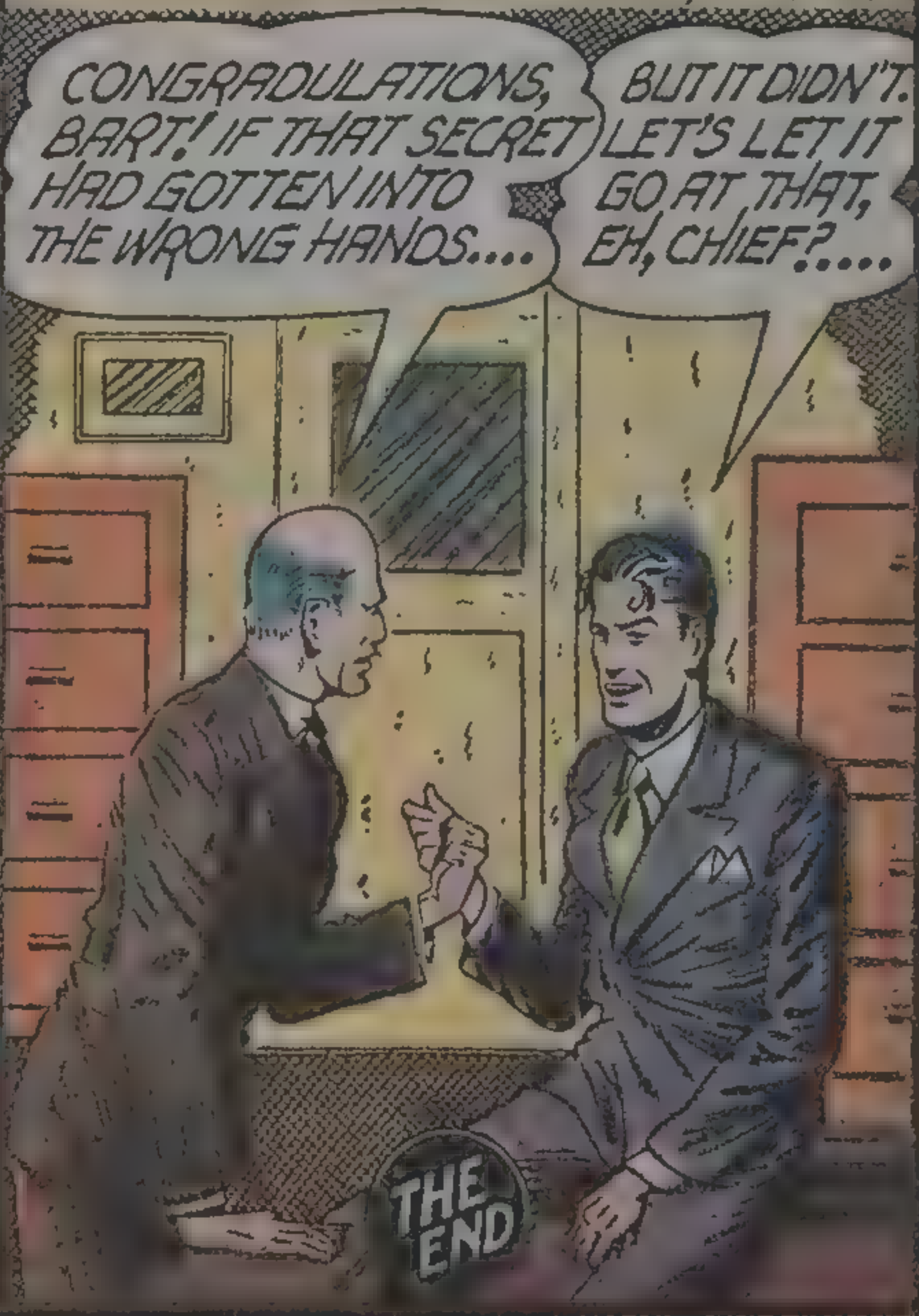
BART HANDCLIFFS THE DAZED NOUVANEY.....



TAKING THE CIGARETTE APART, BART FINDS WITHIN IT A U.S. SECRET FORMULA FOR A PENETRATING ANESTHETIC GAS WHICH CAN PUT TO SLEEP ANYONE WITHIN A HUNDRED MILES.



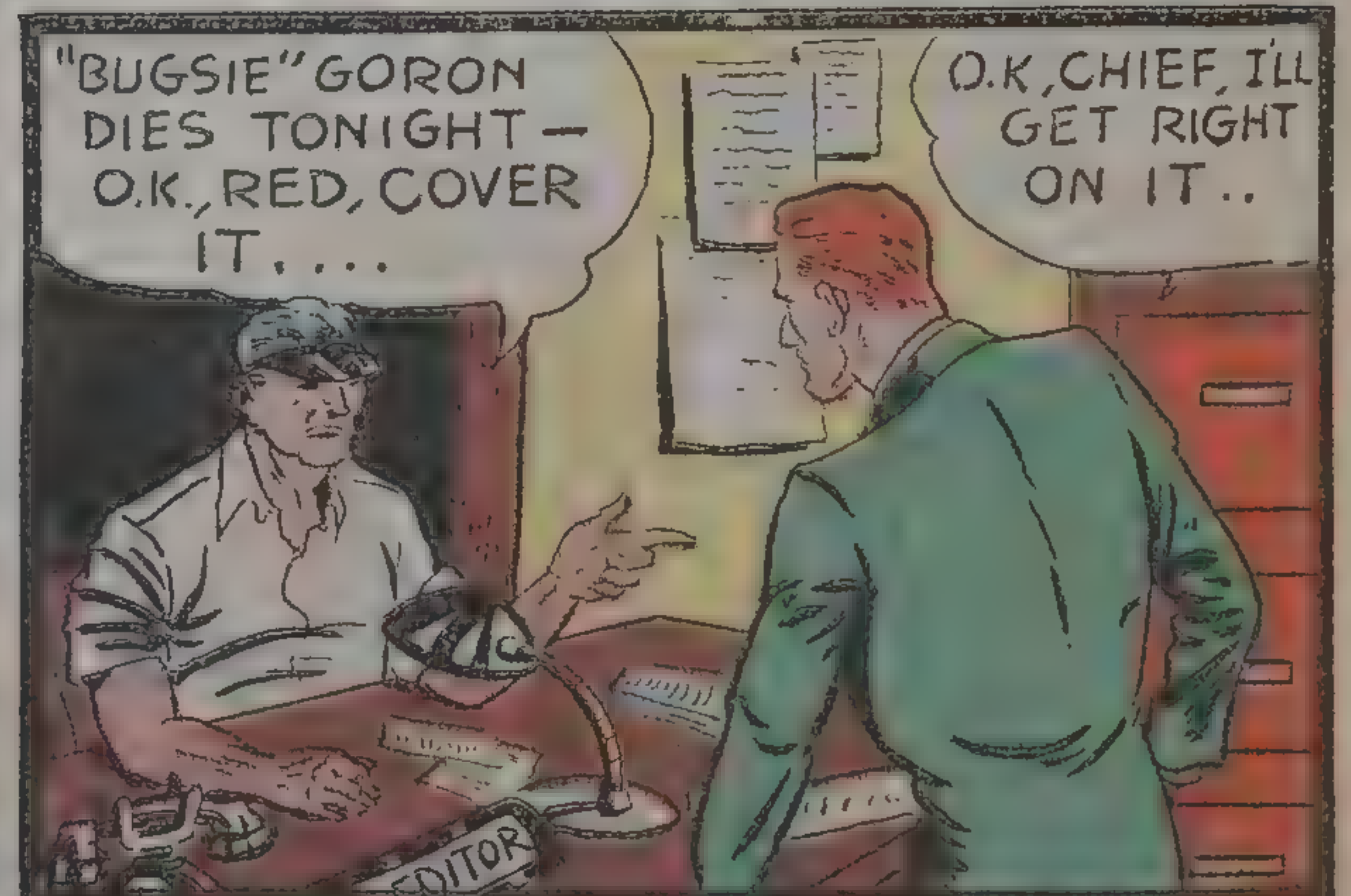
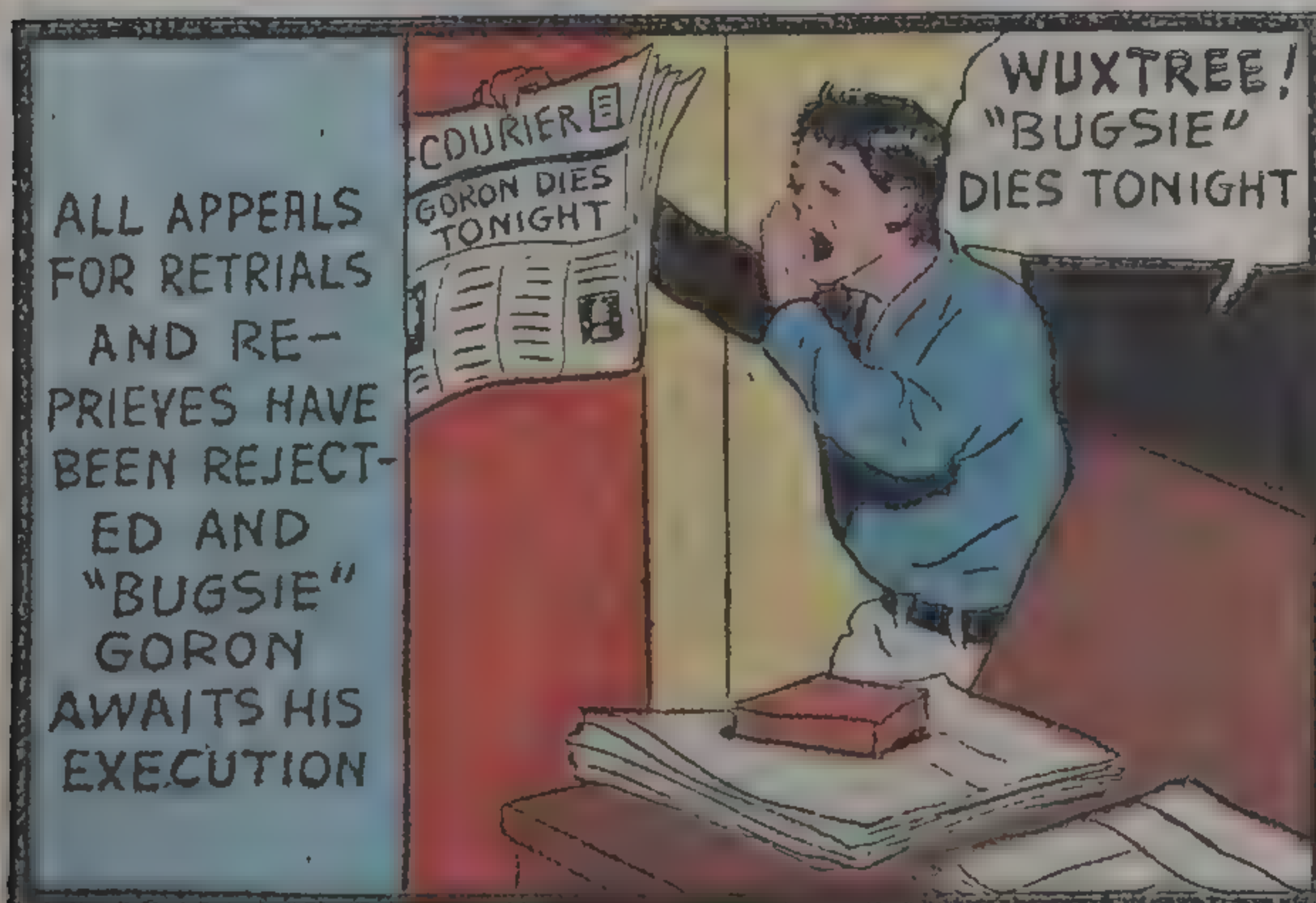
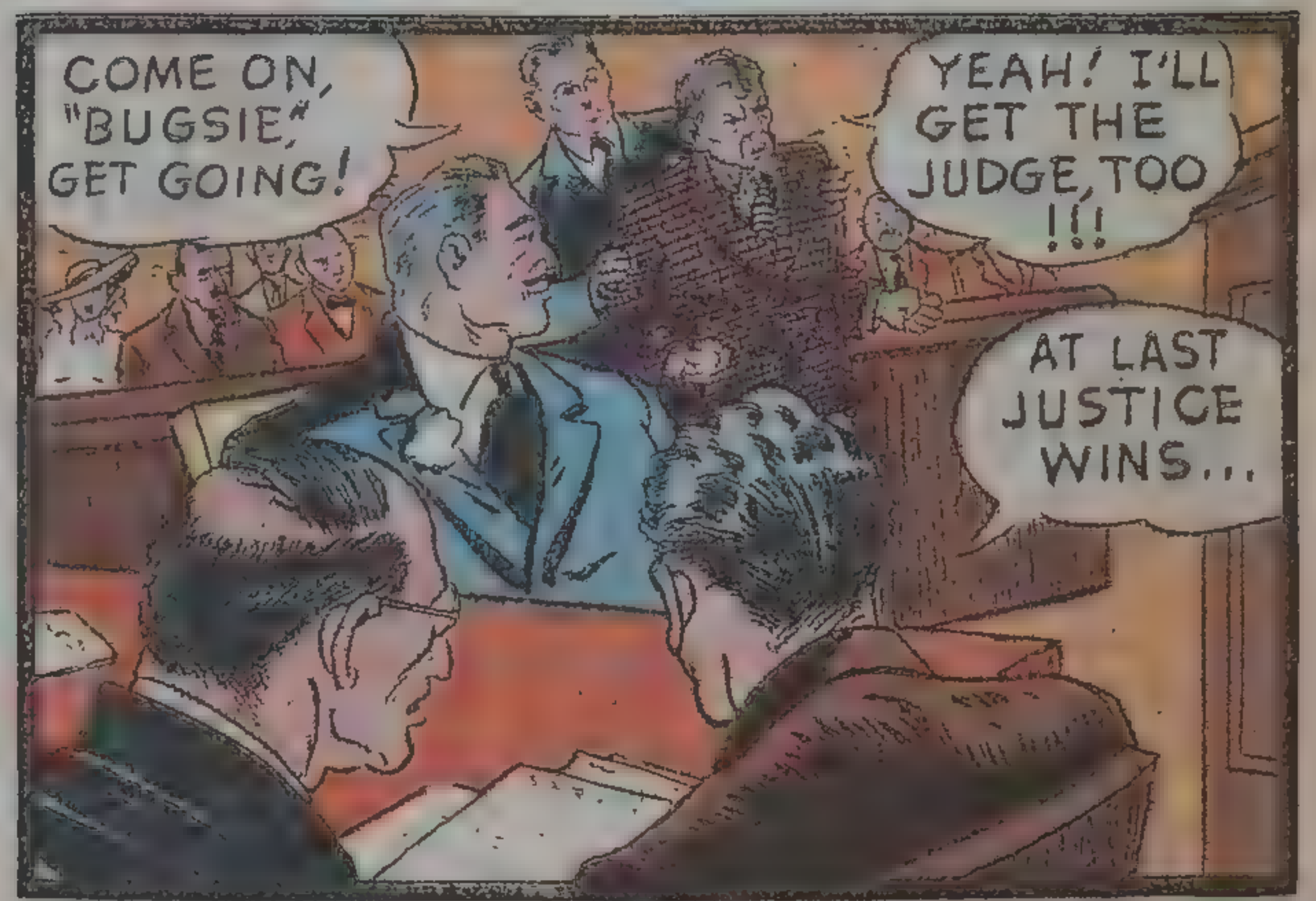
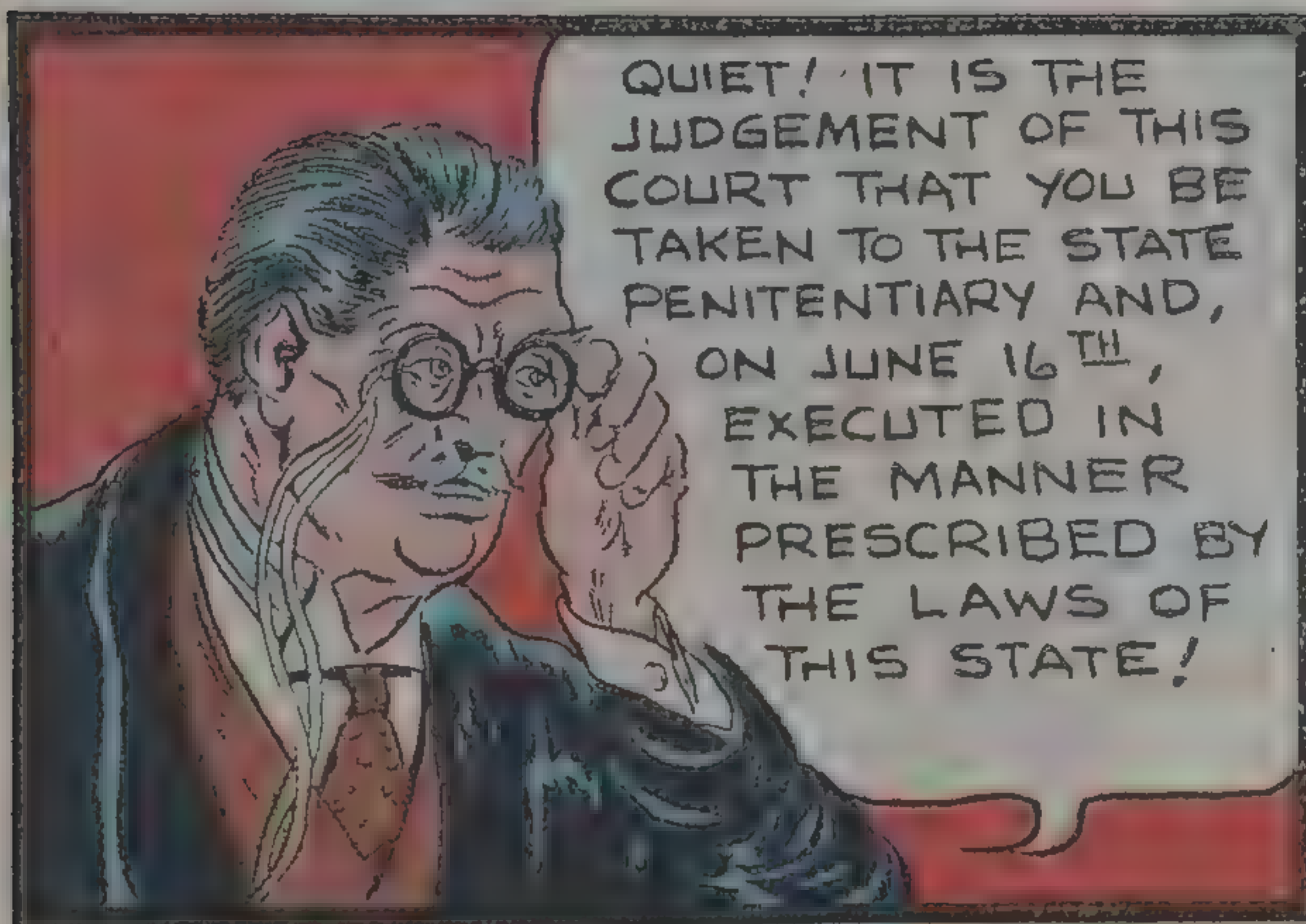
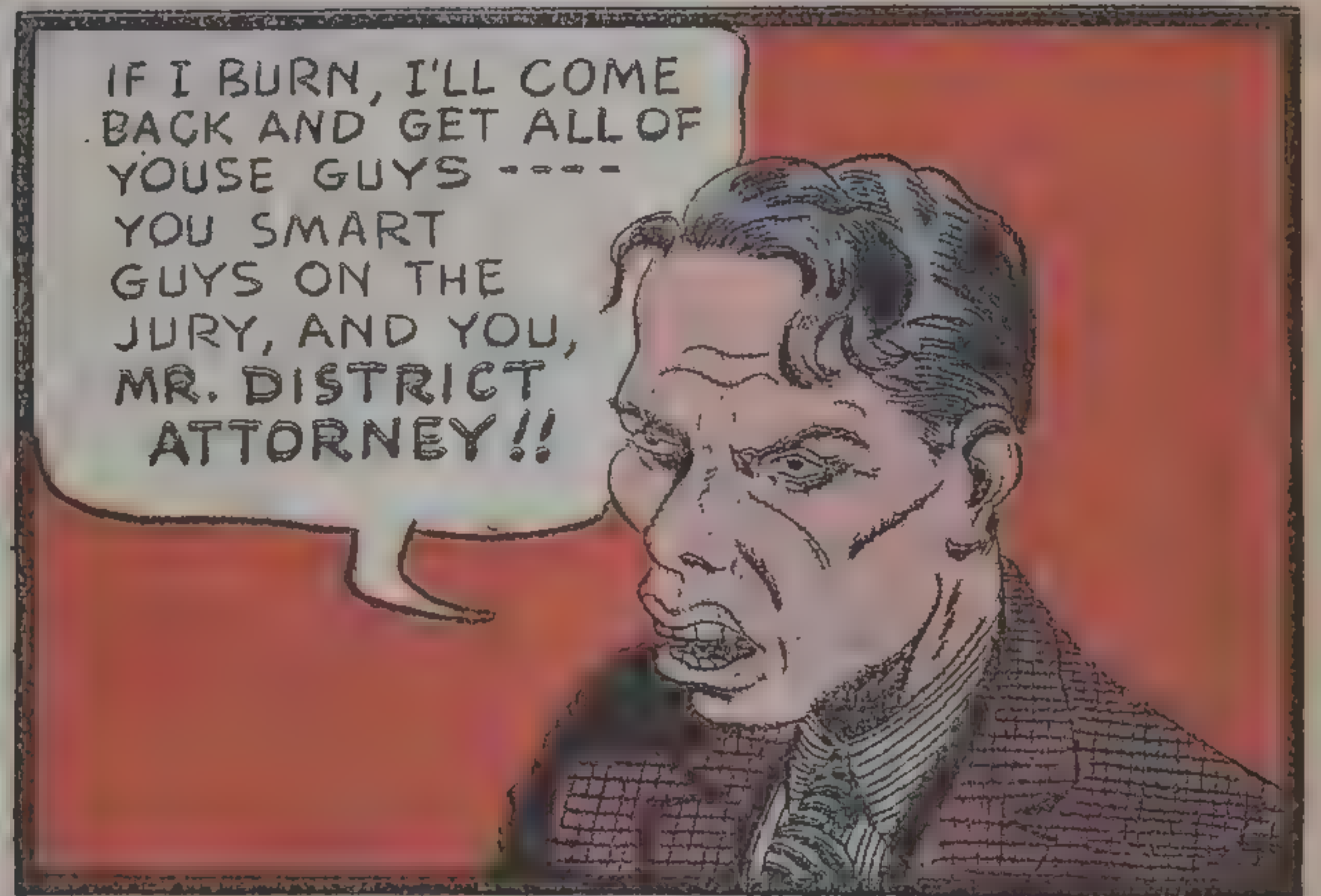
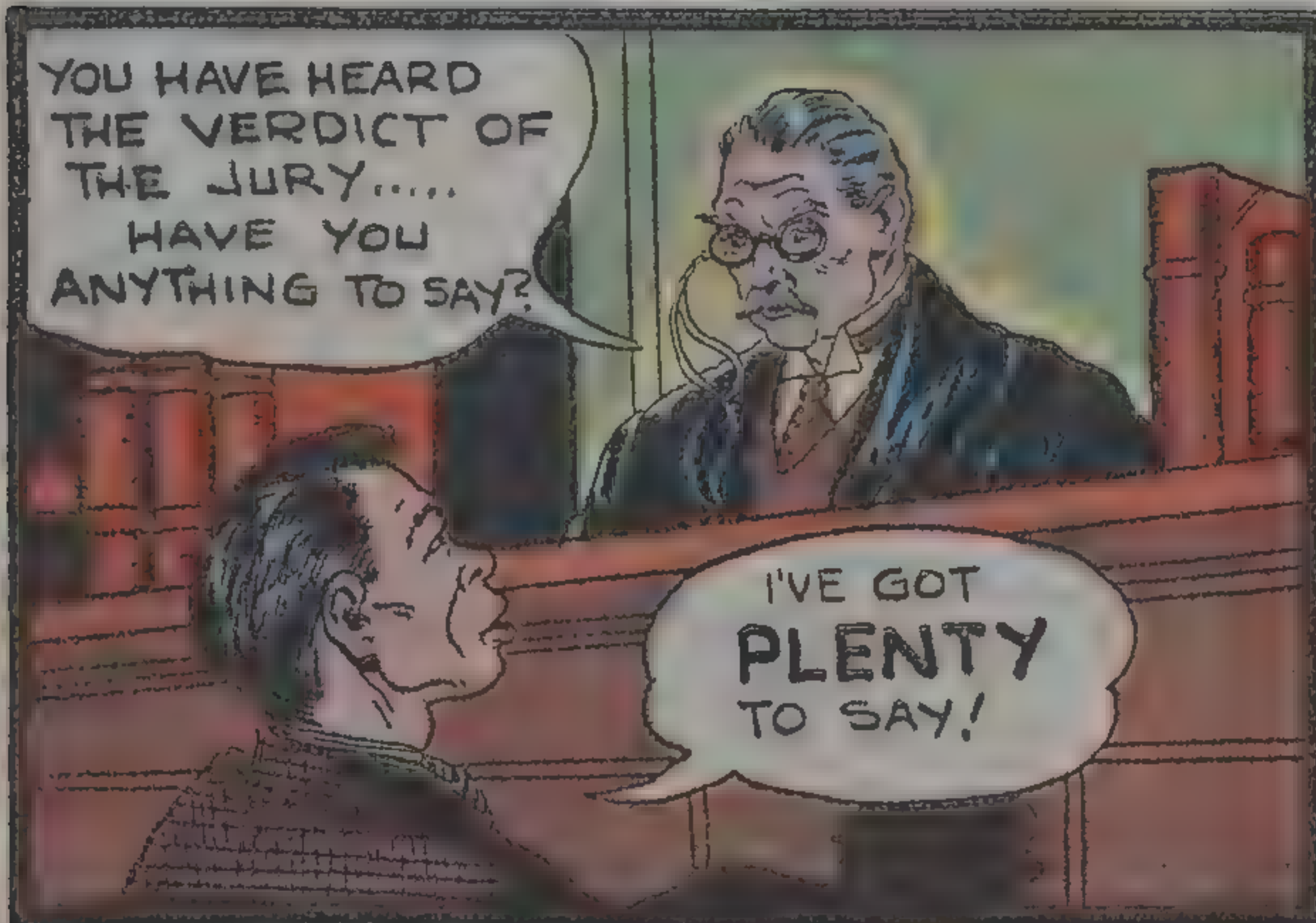
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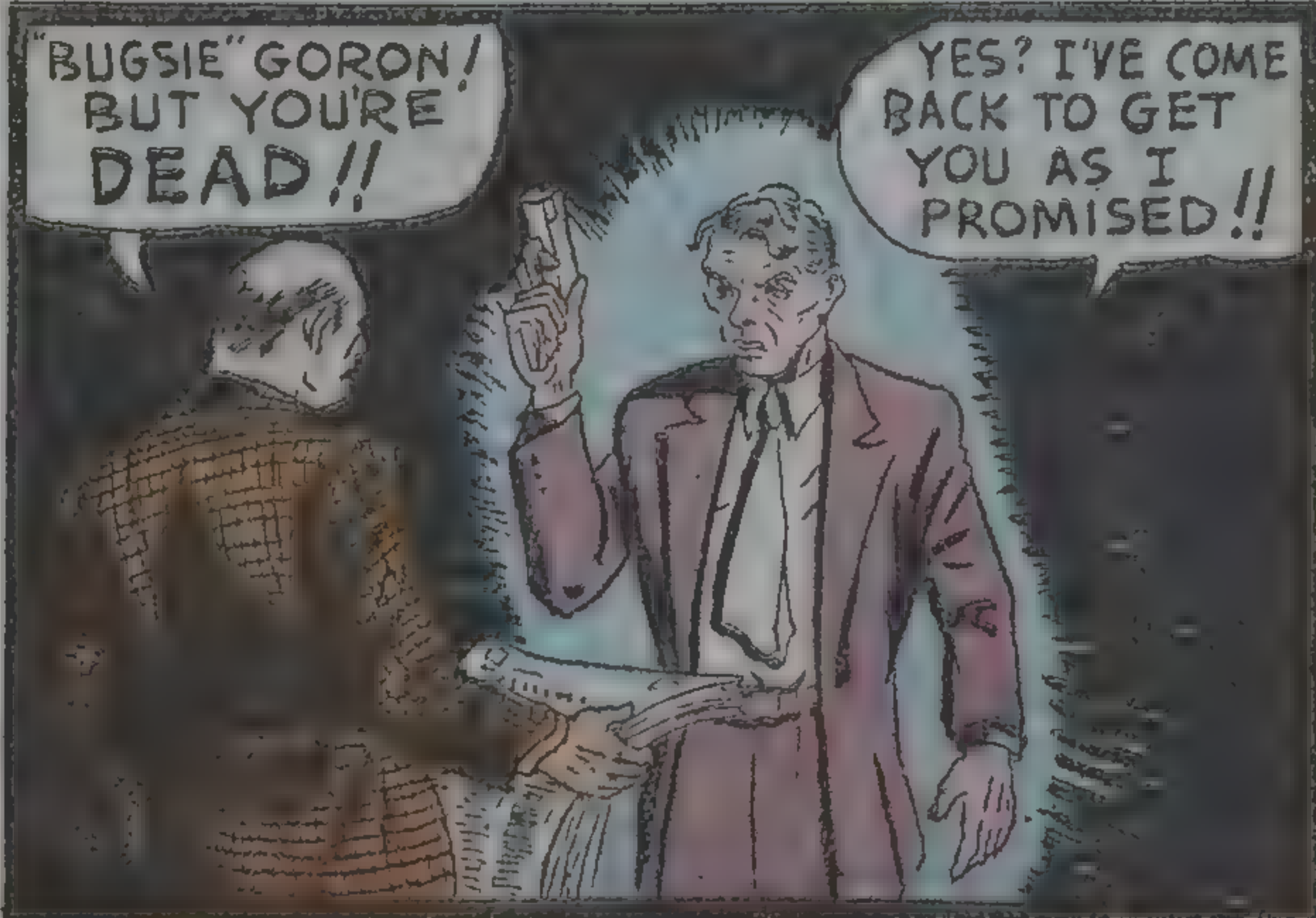
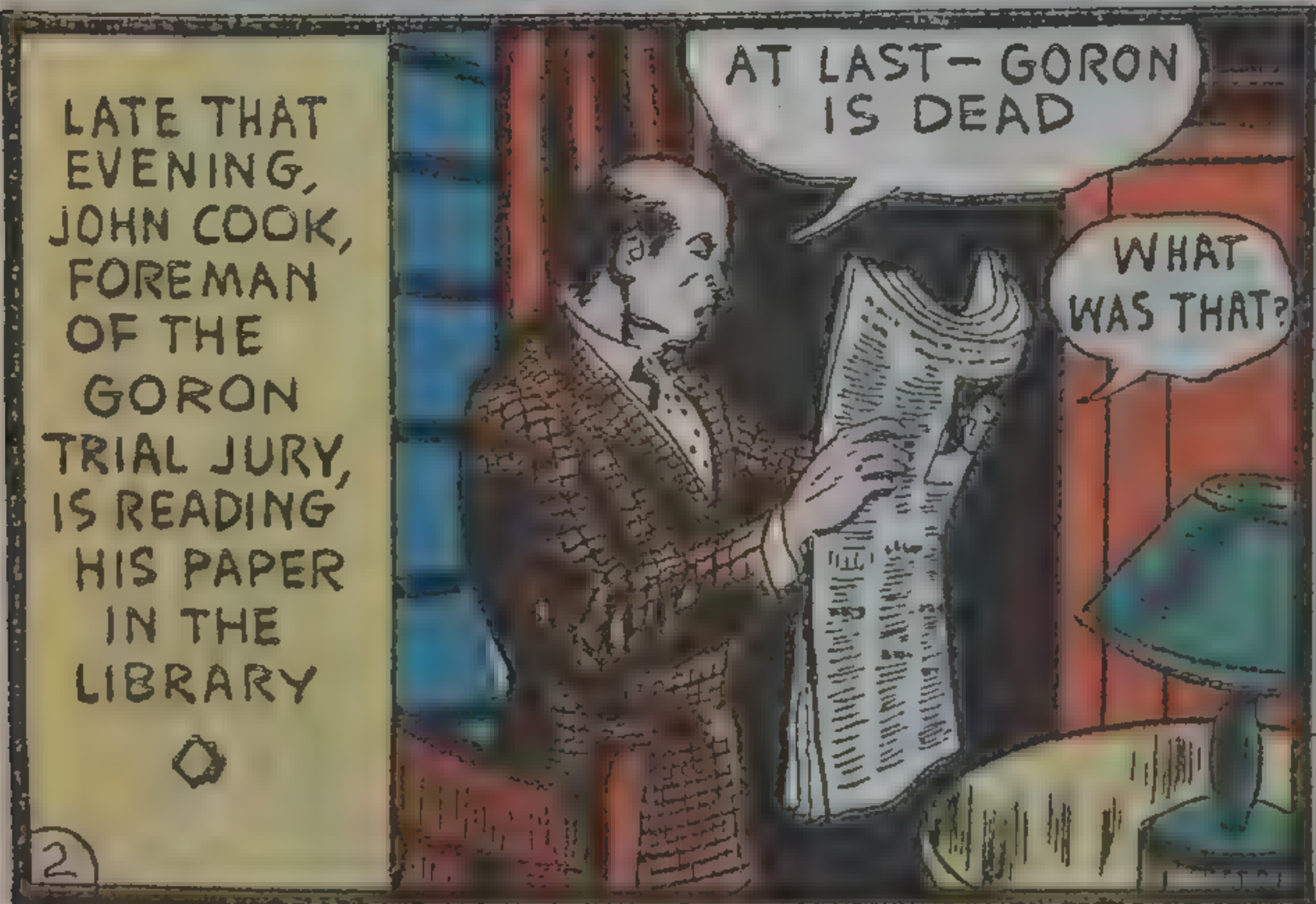
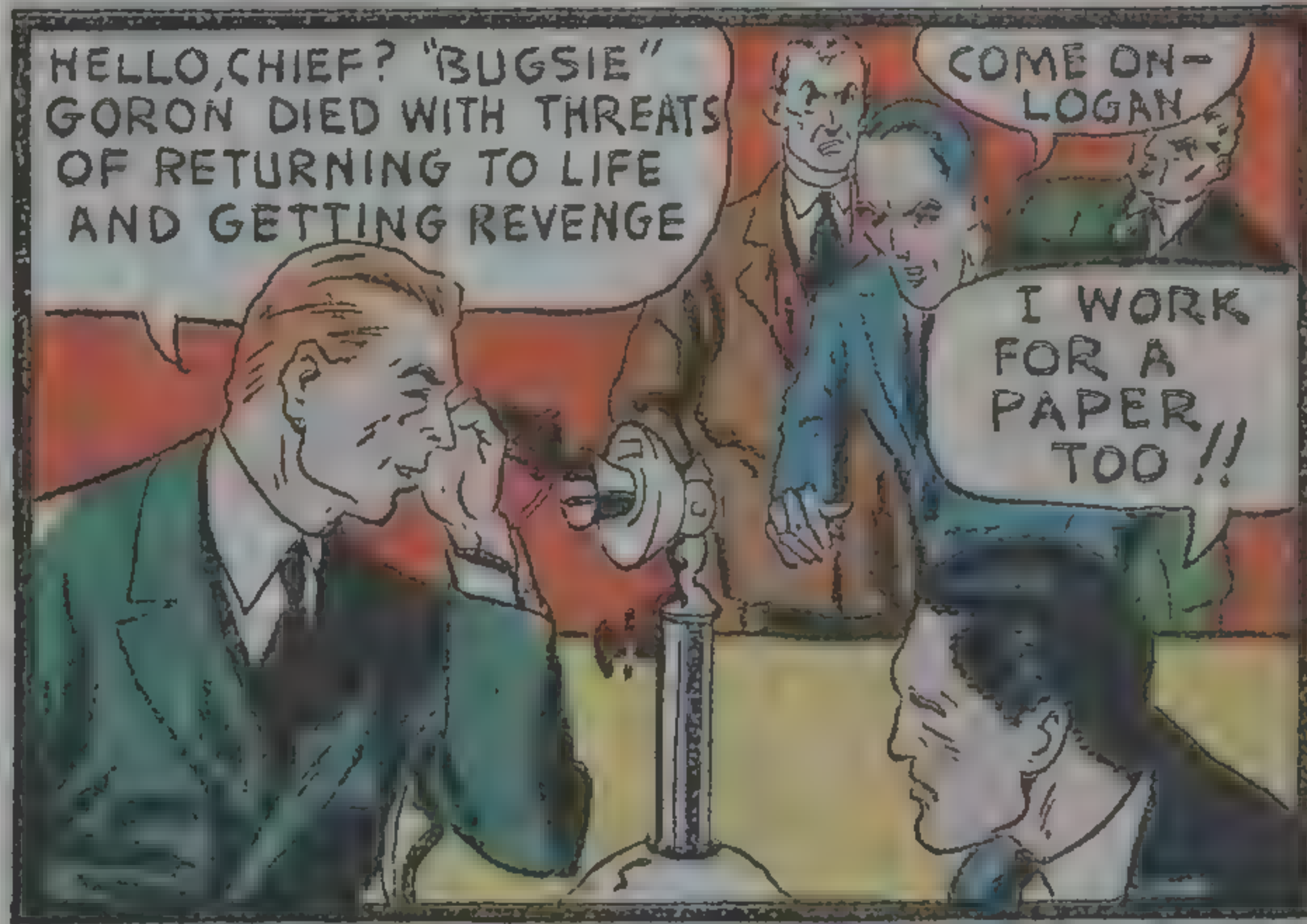
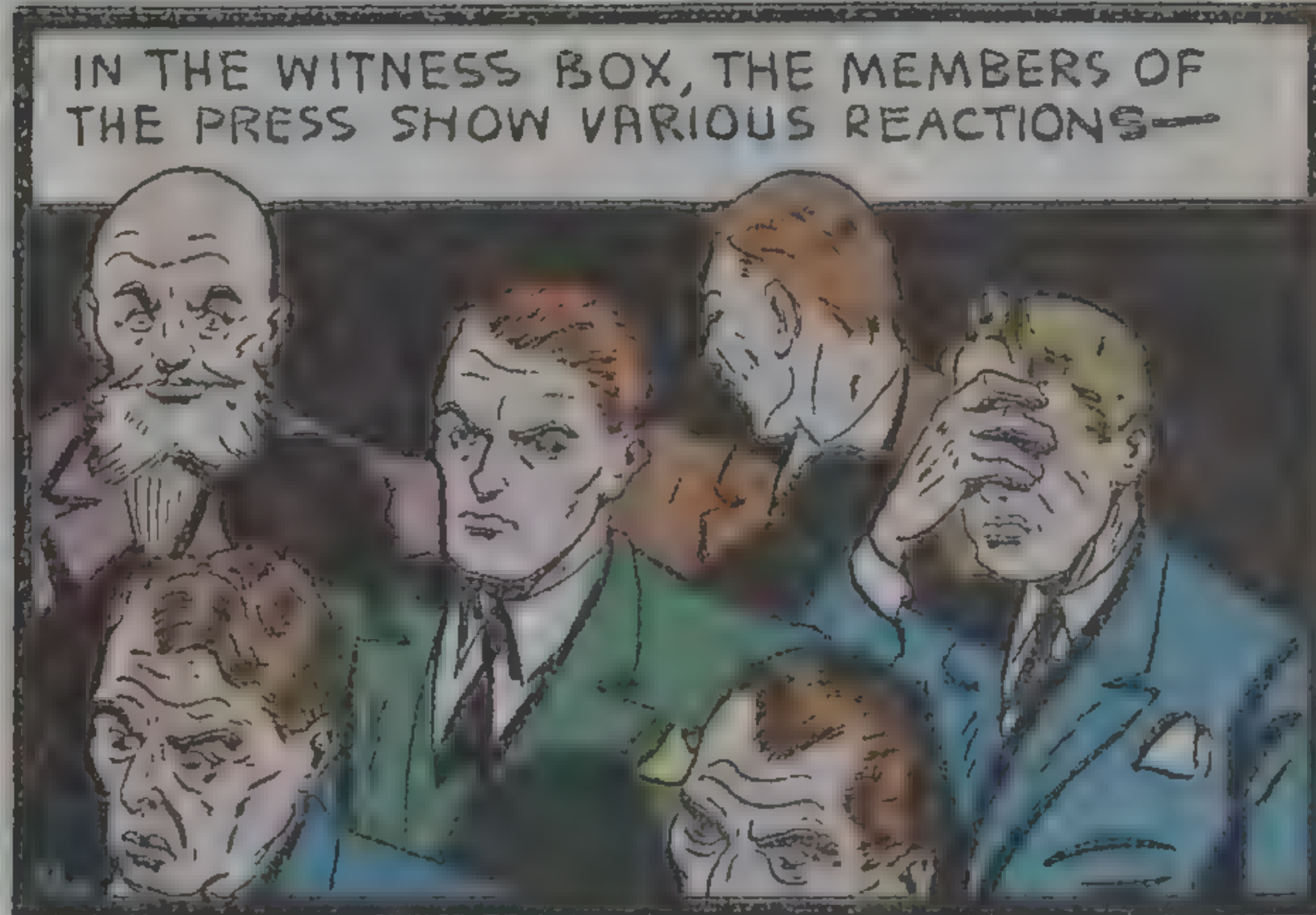
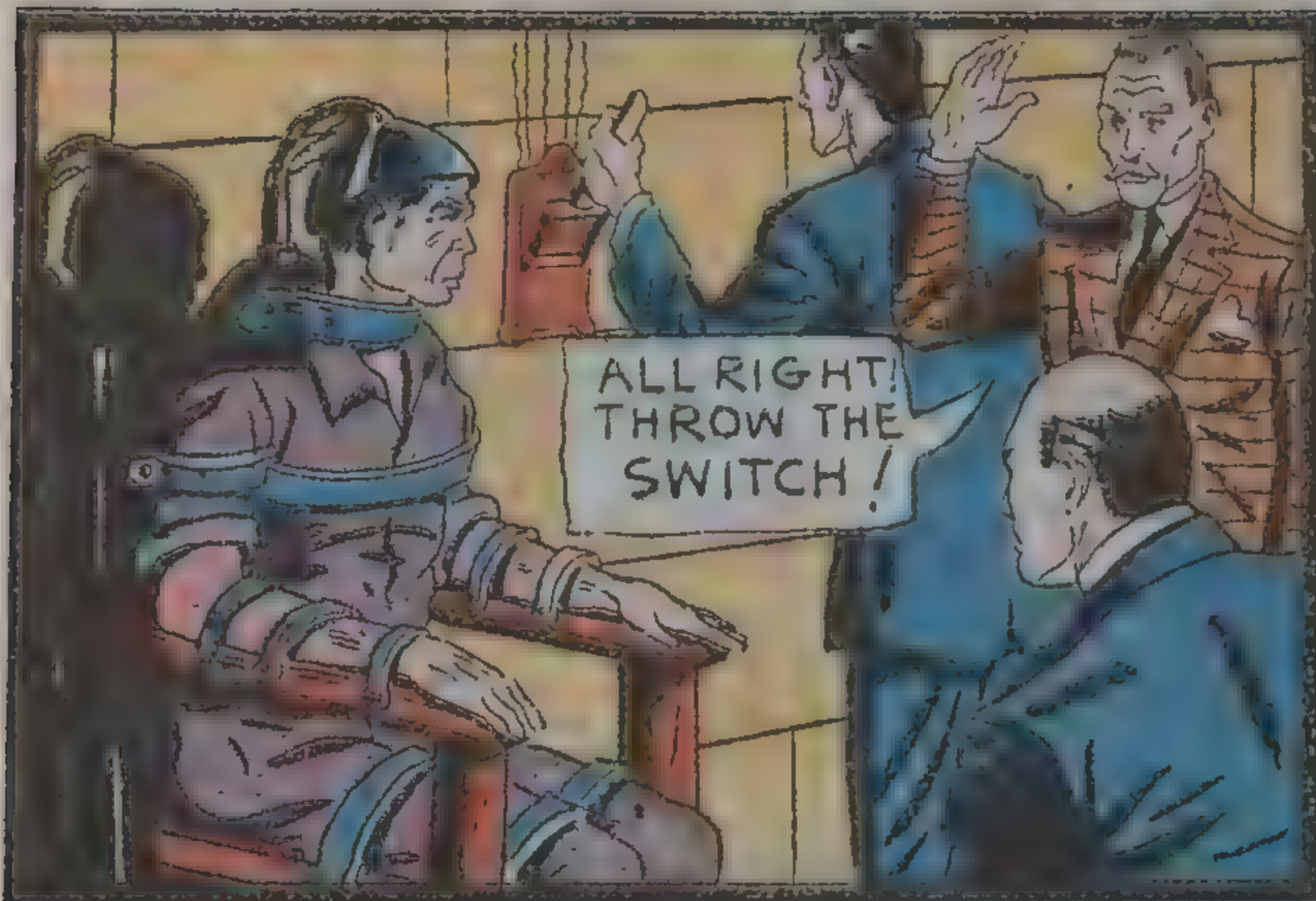
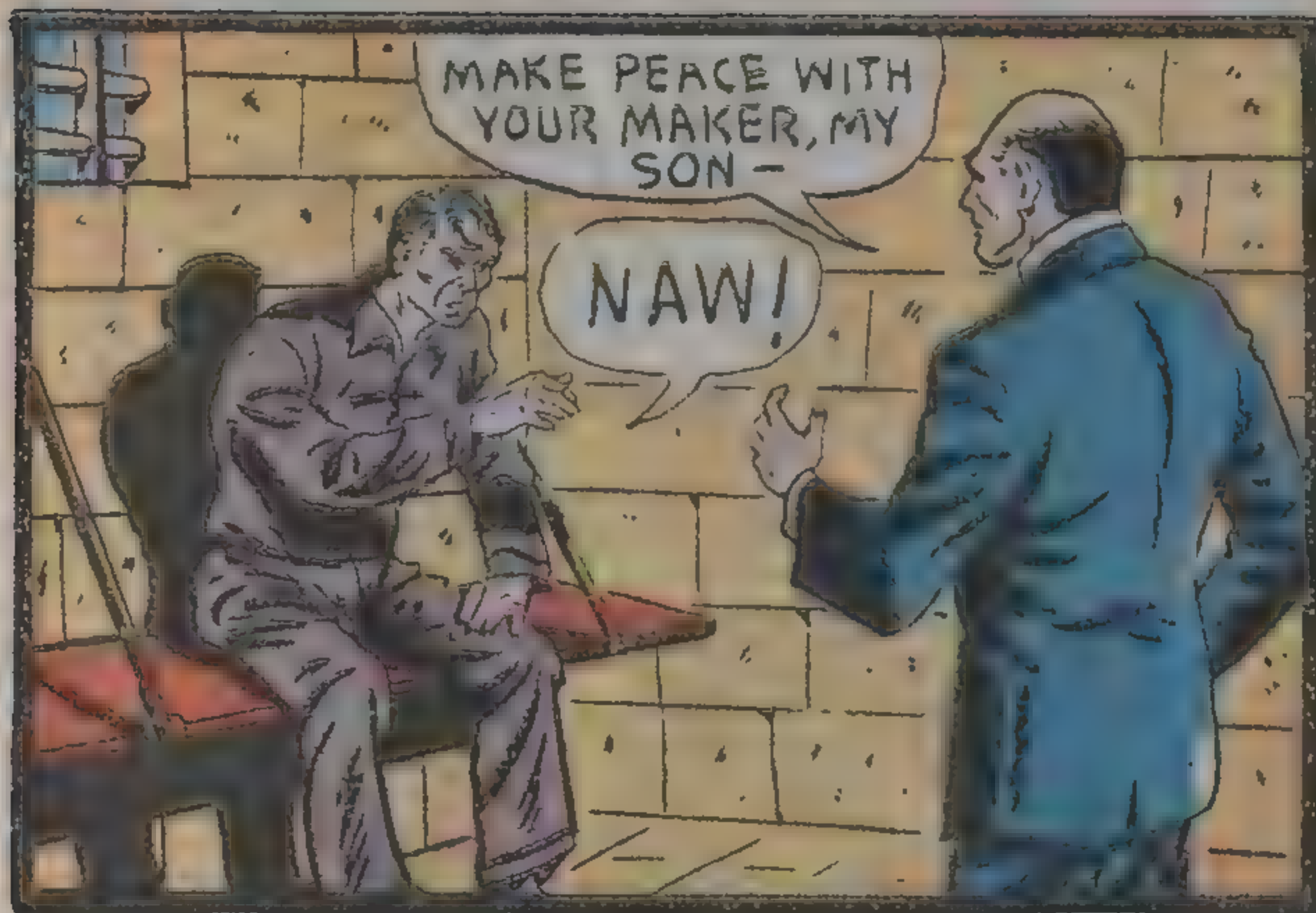


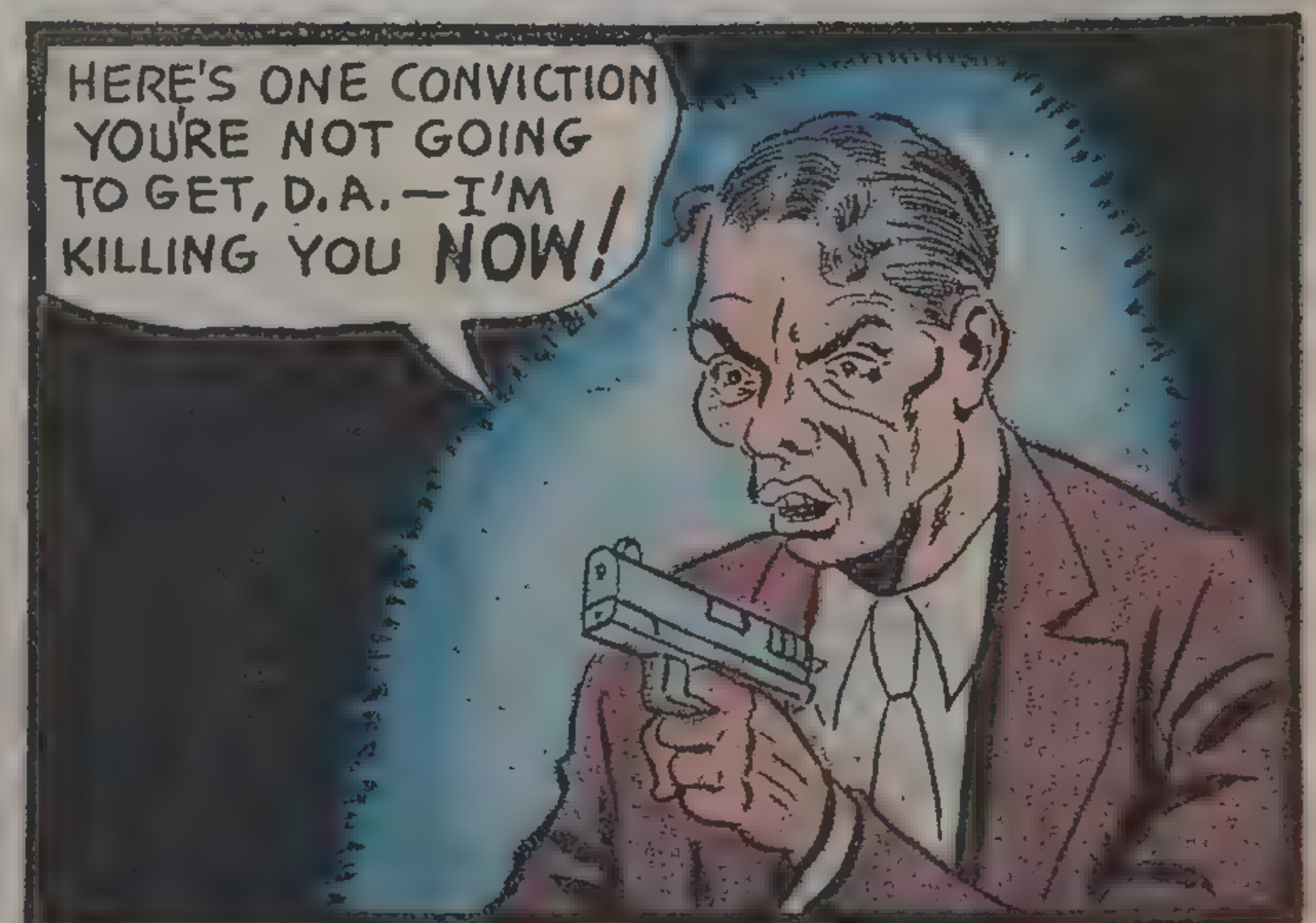
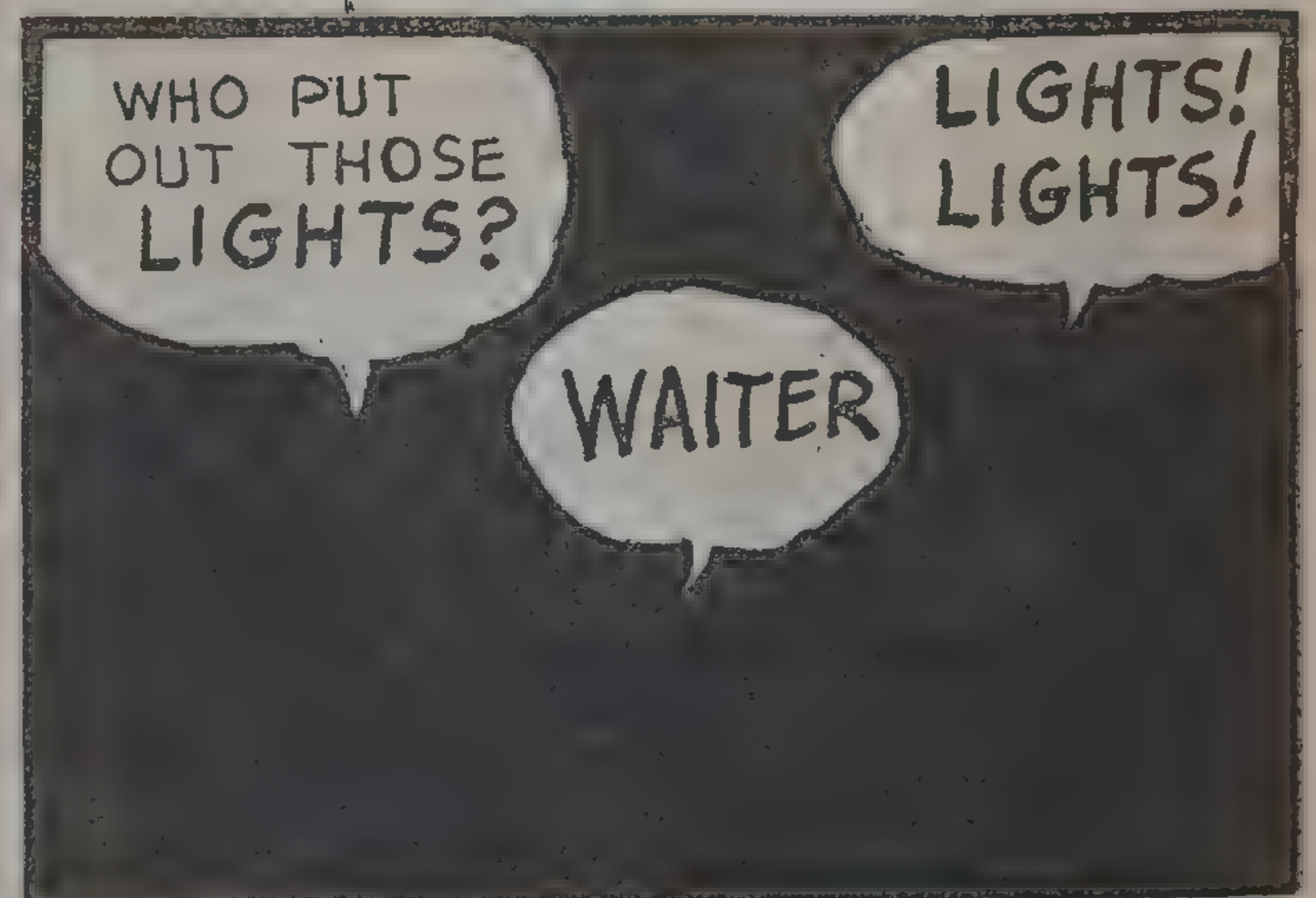
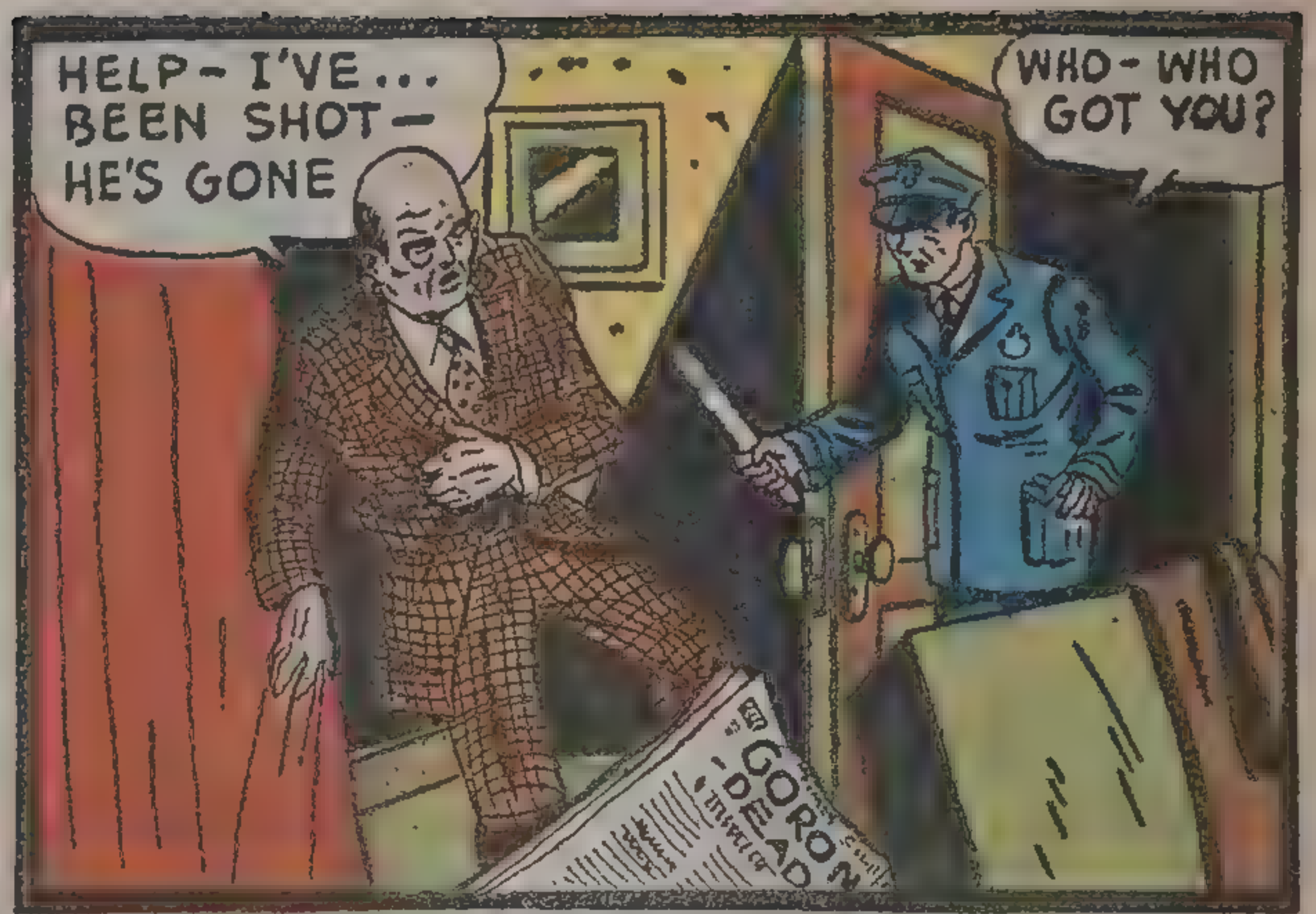
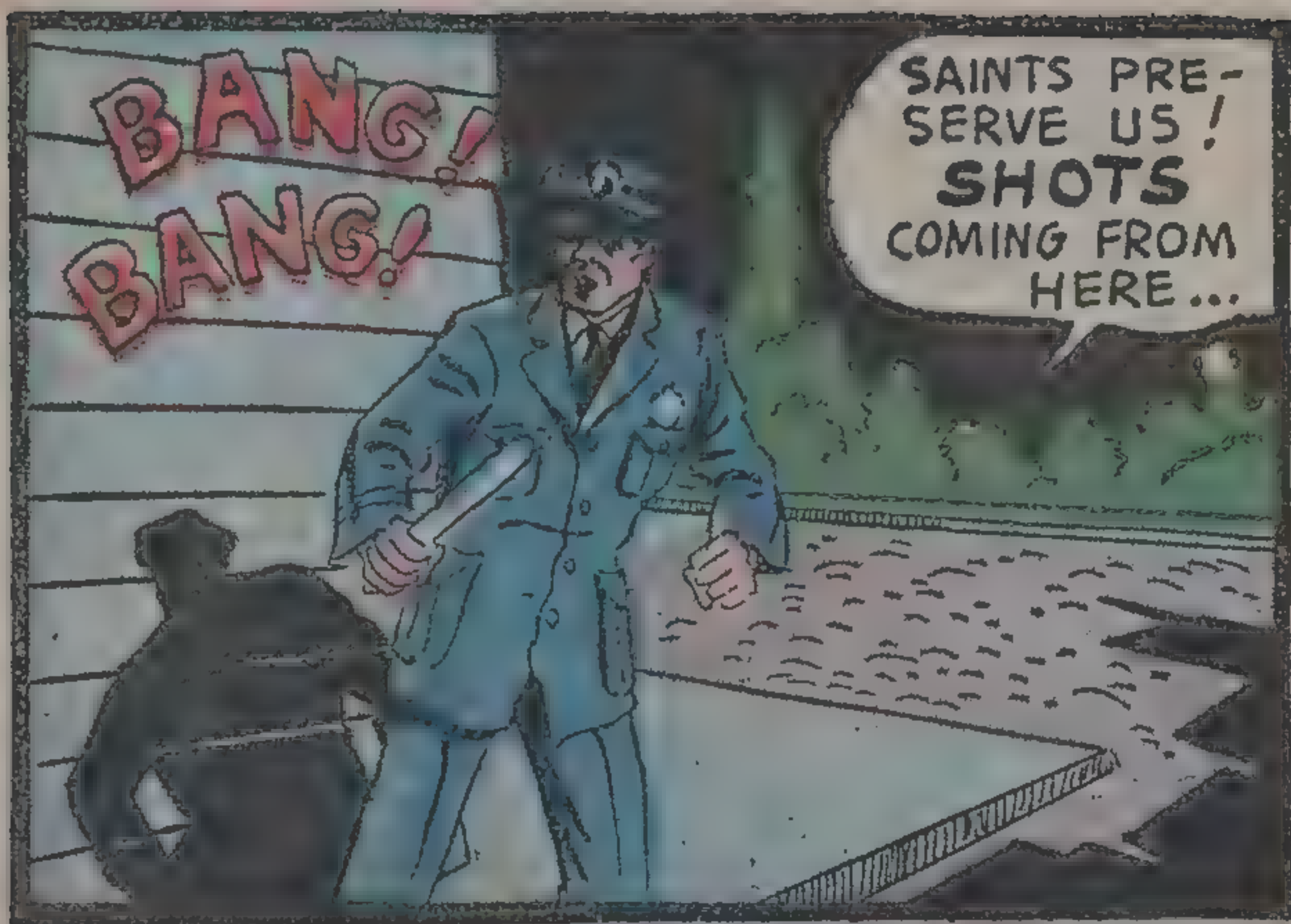
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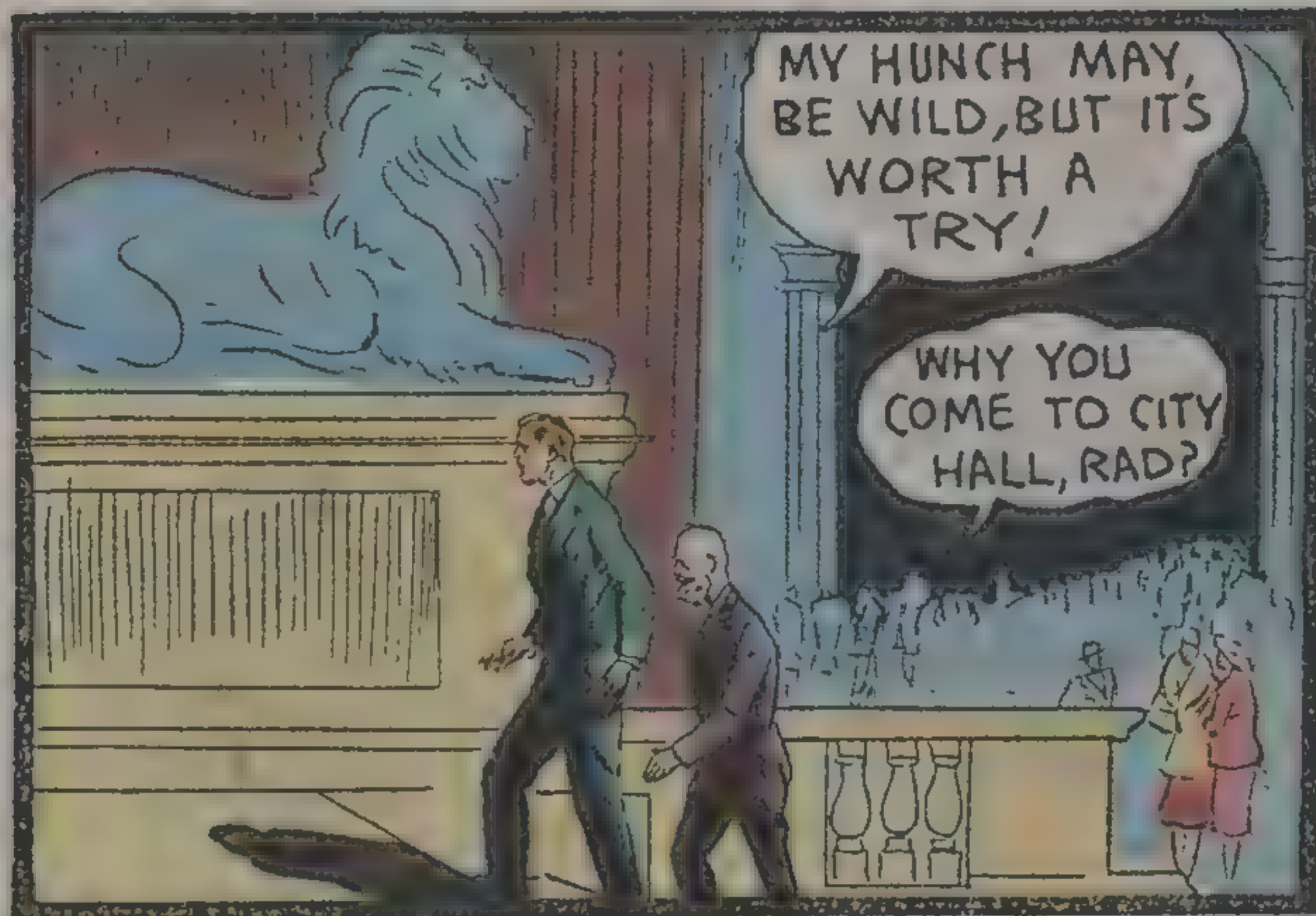
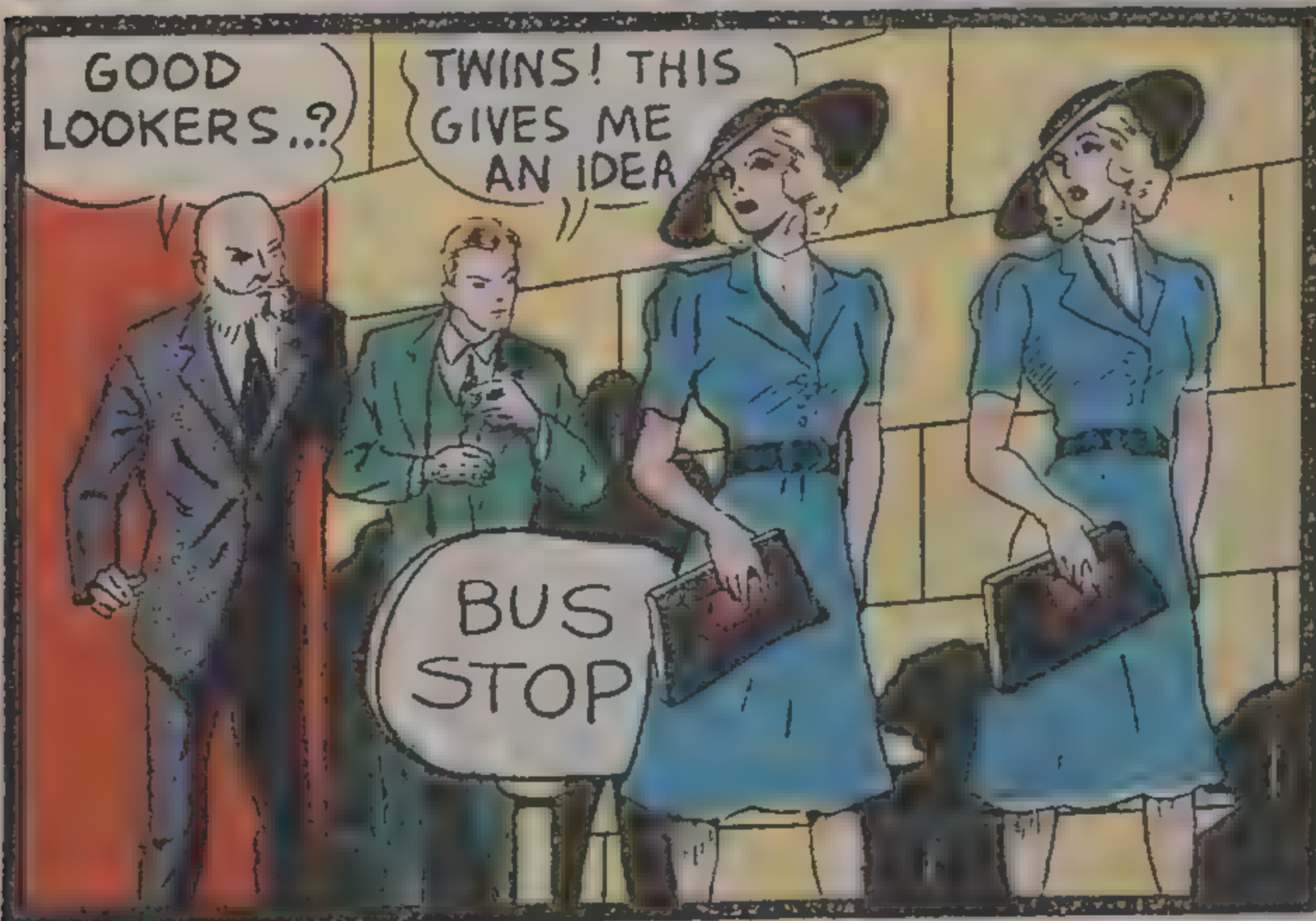
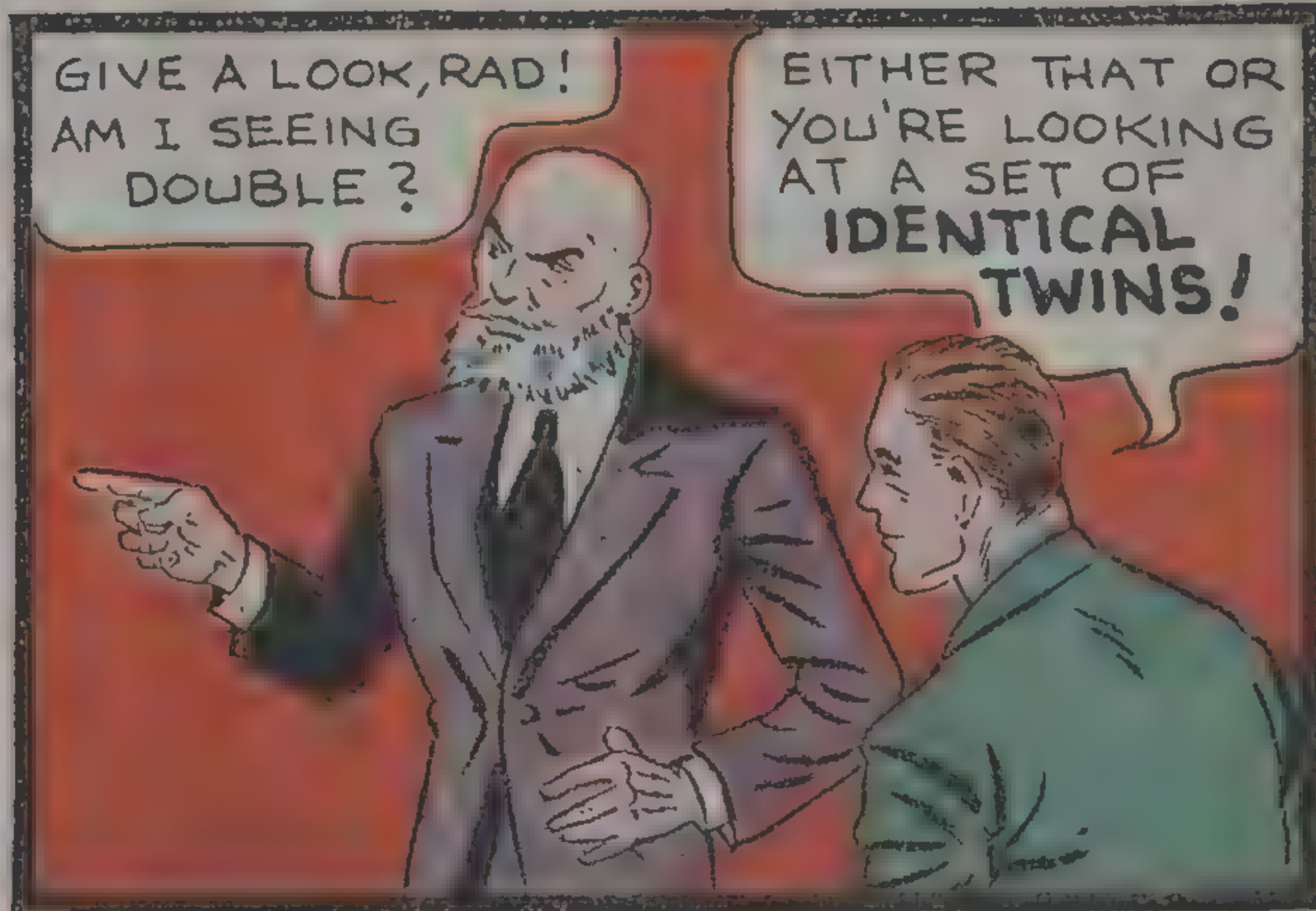
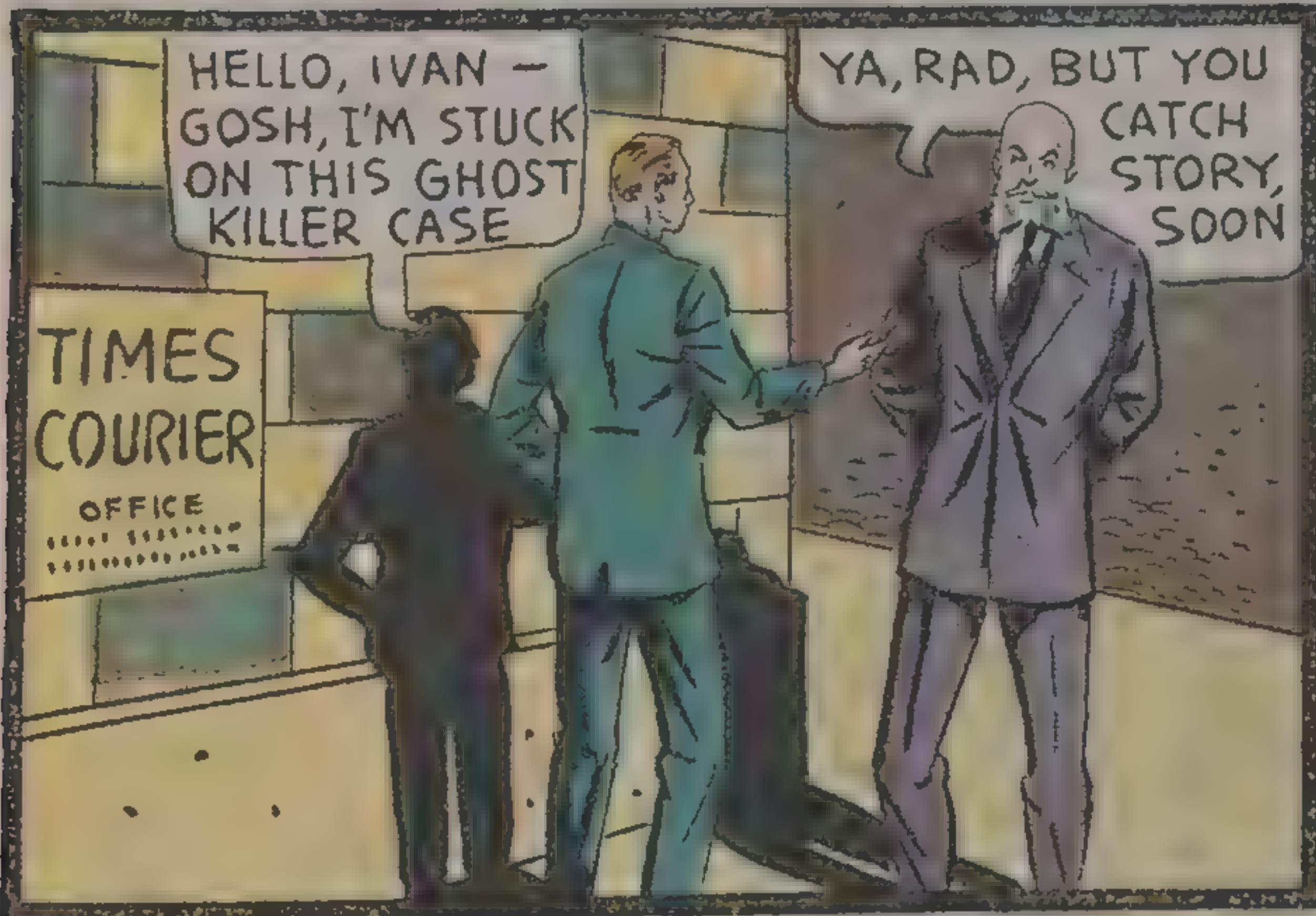
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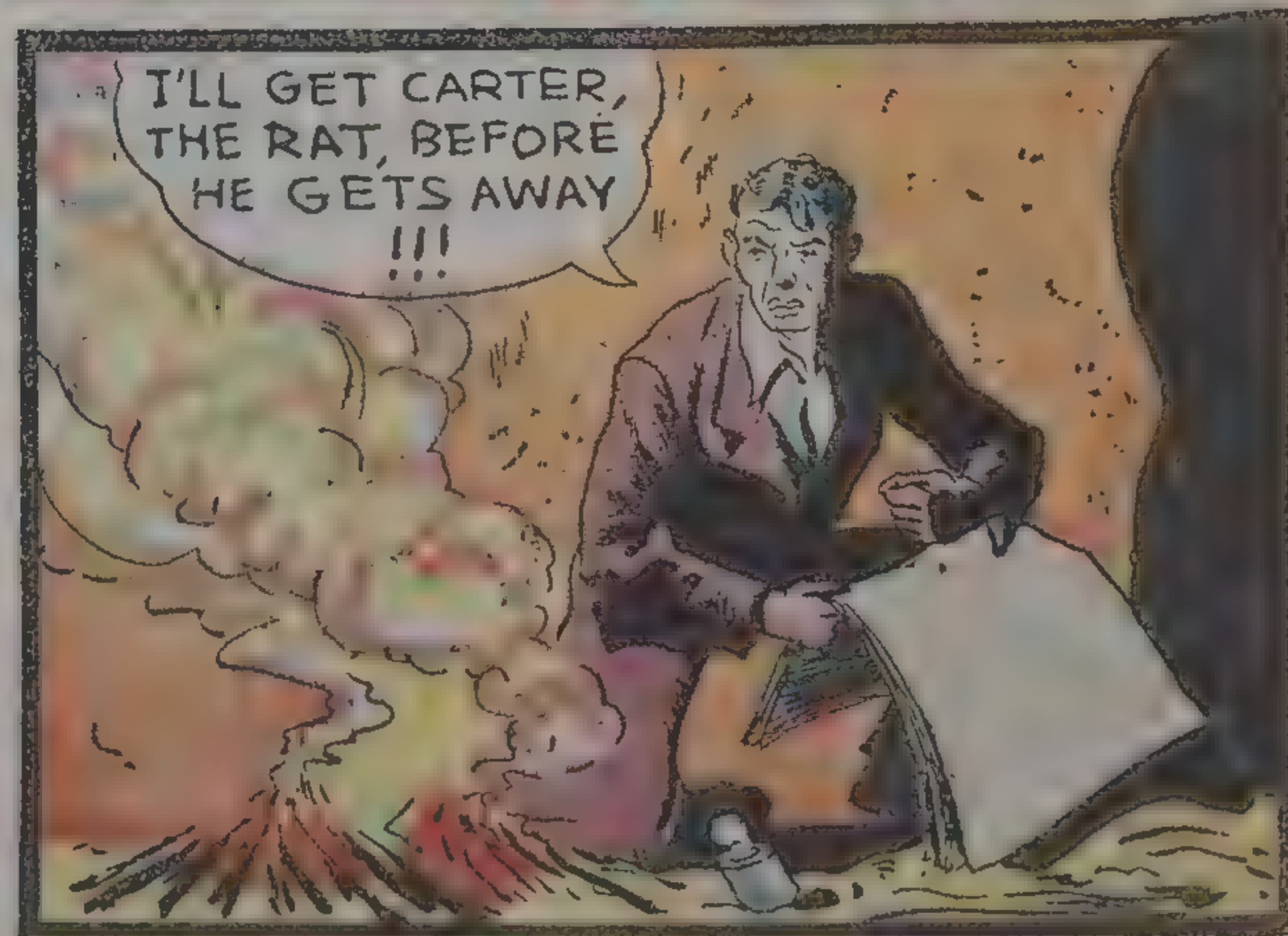
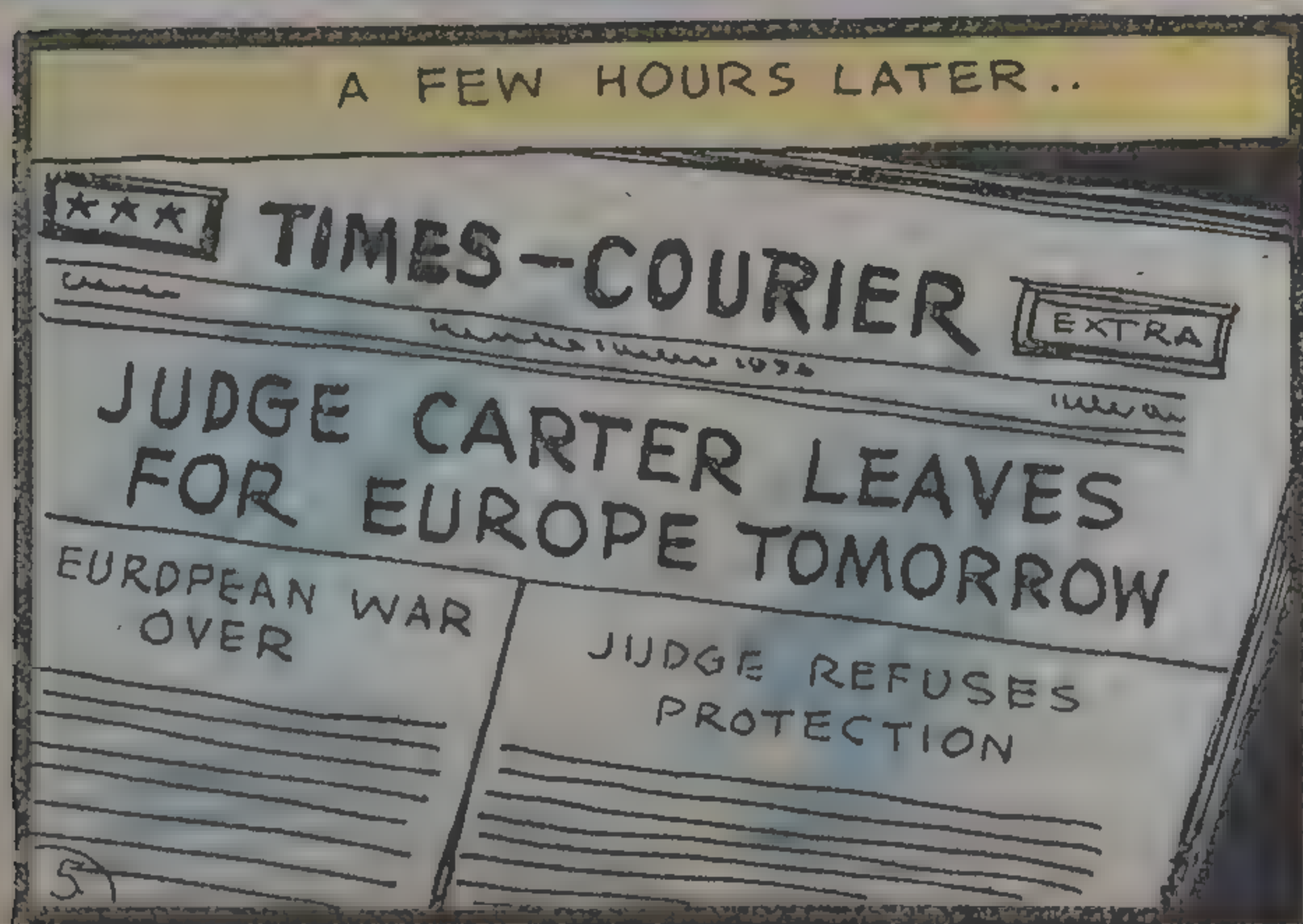
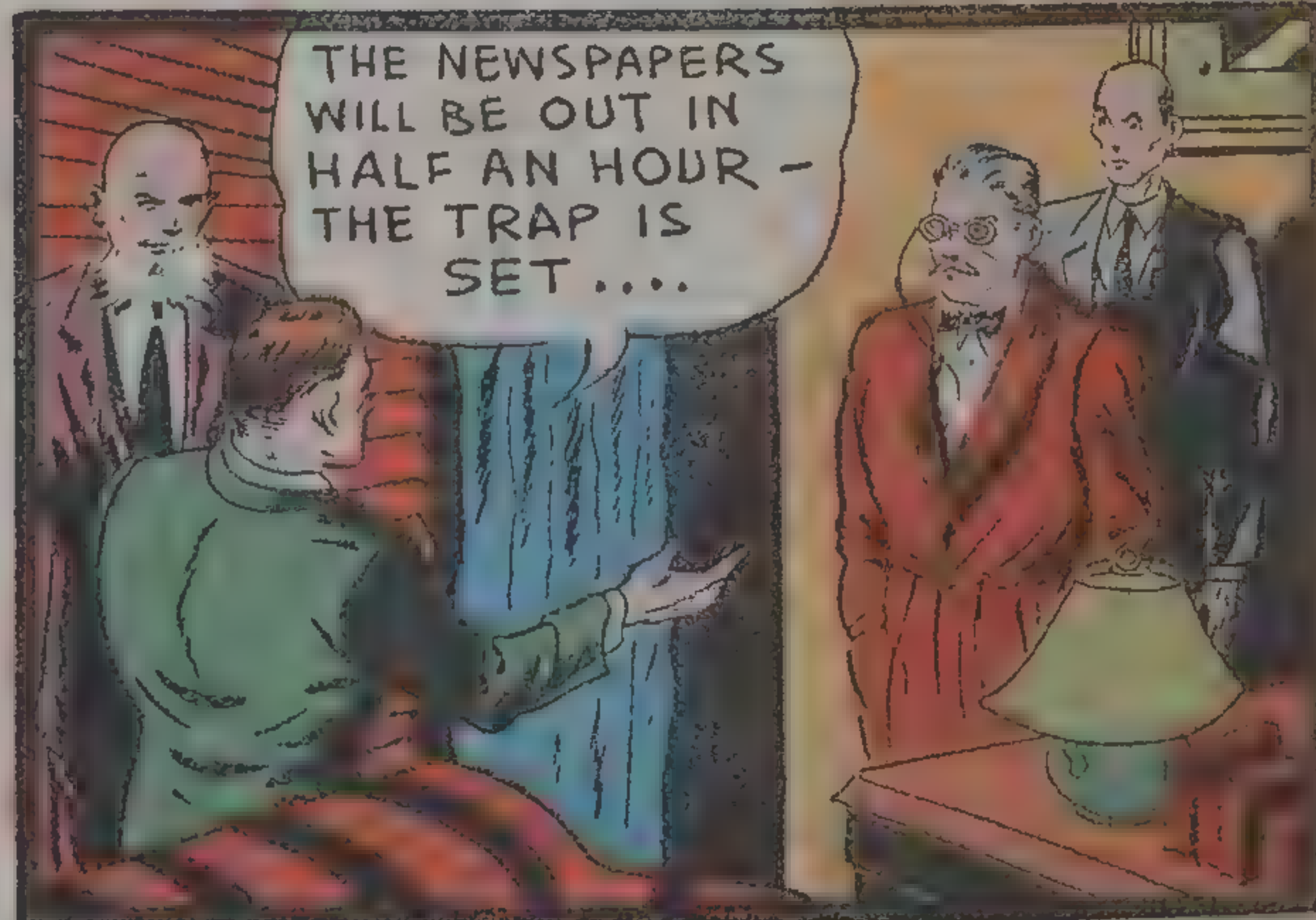
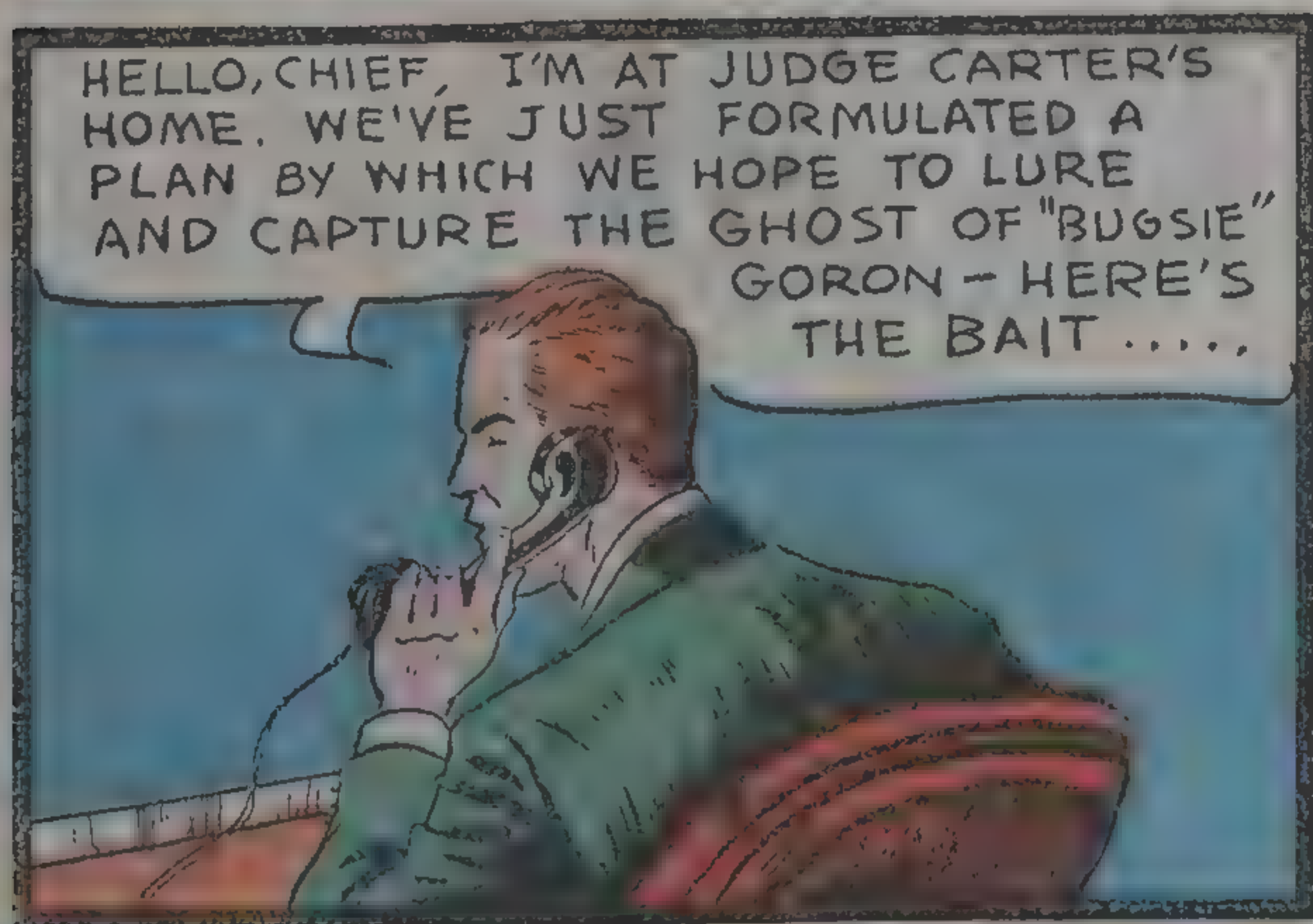
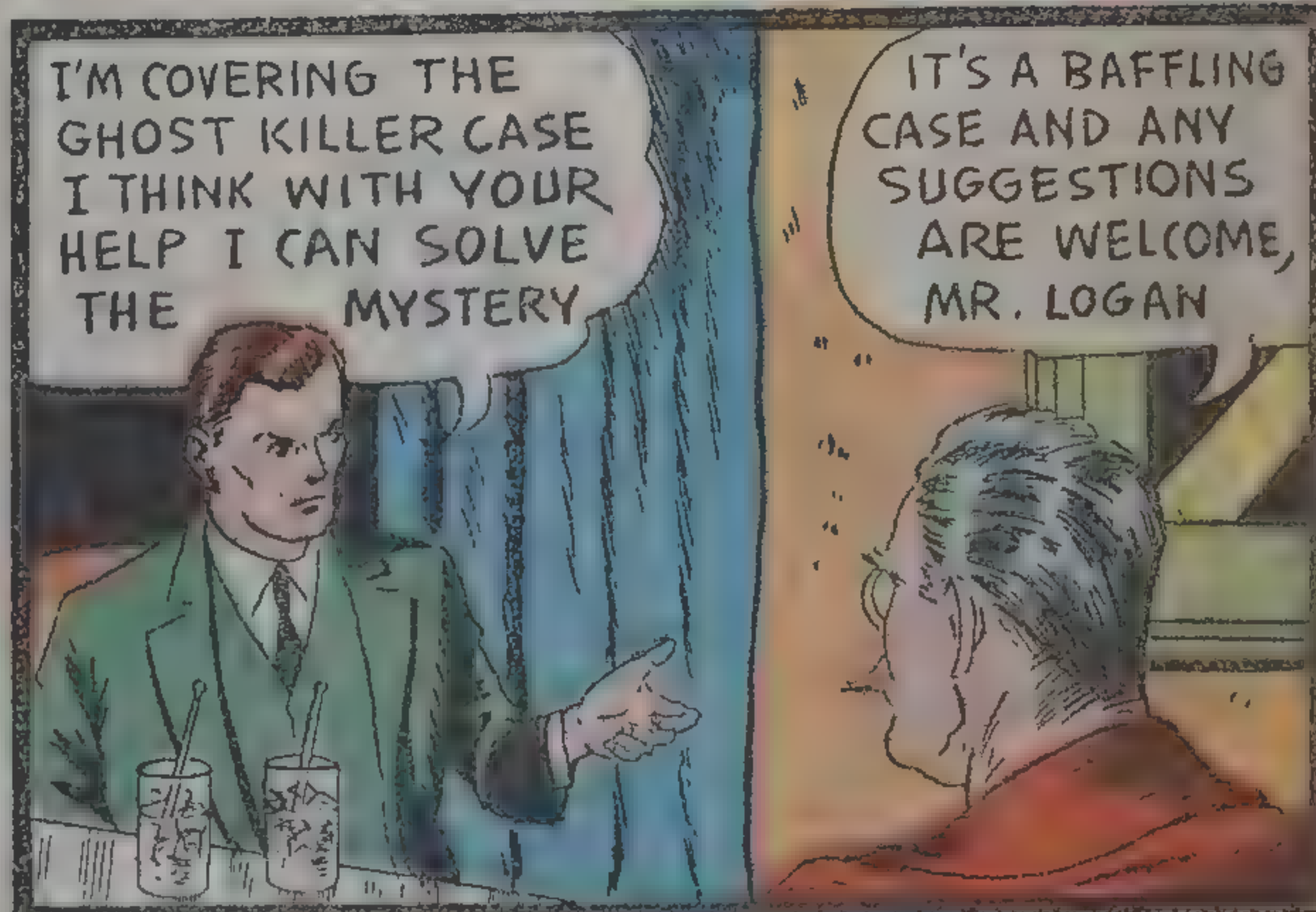
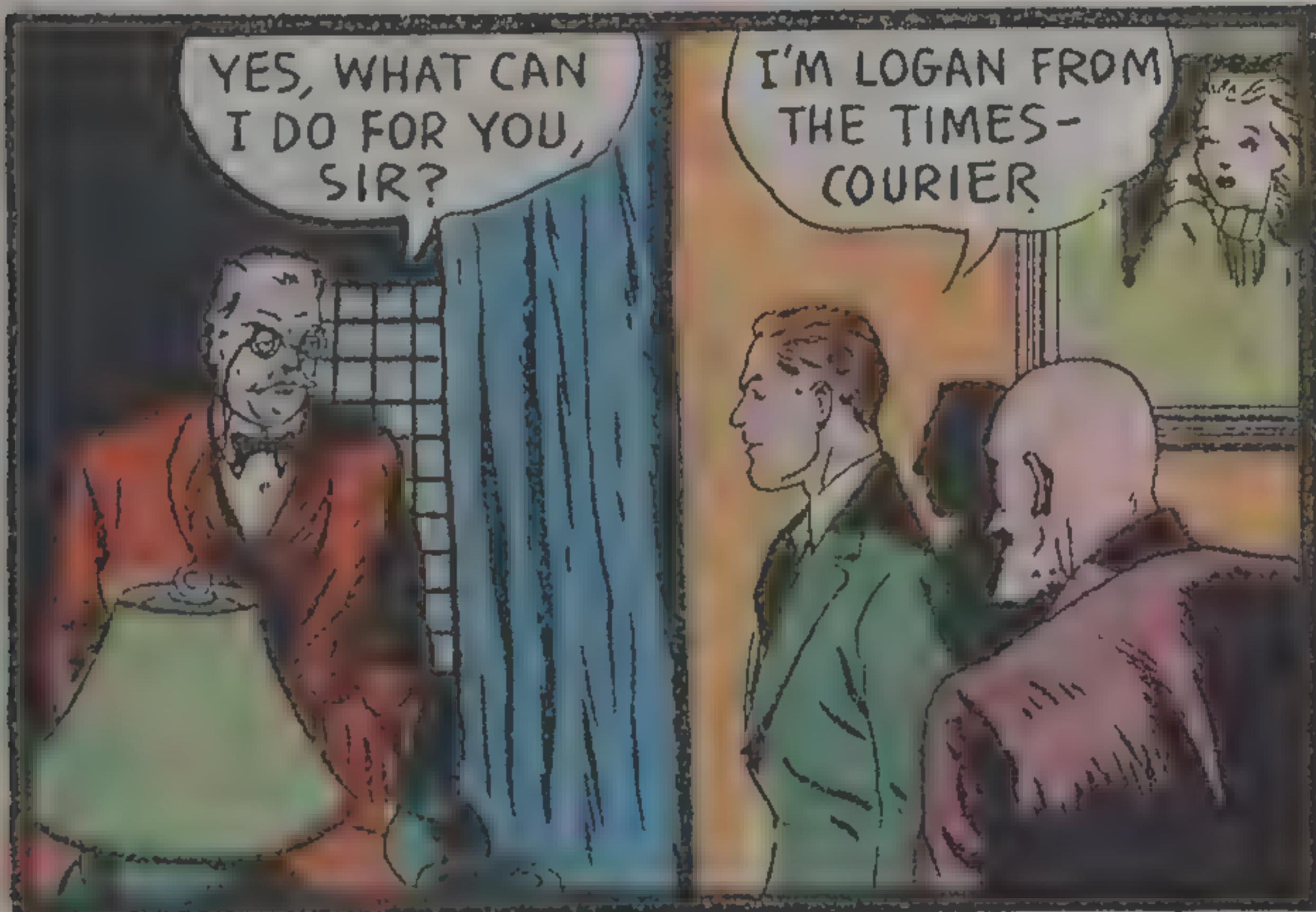
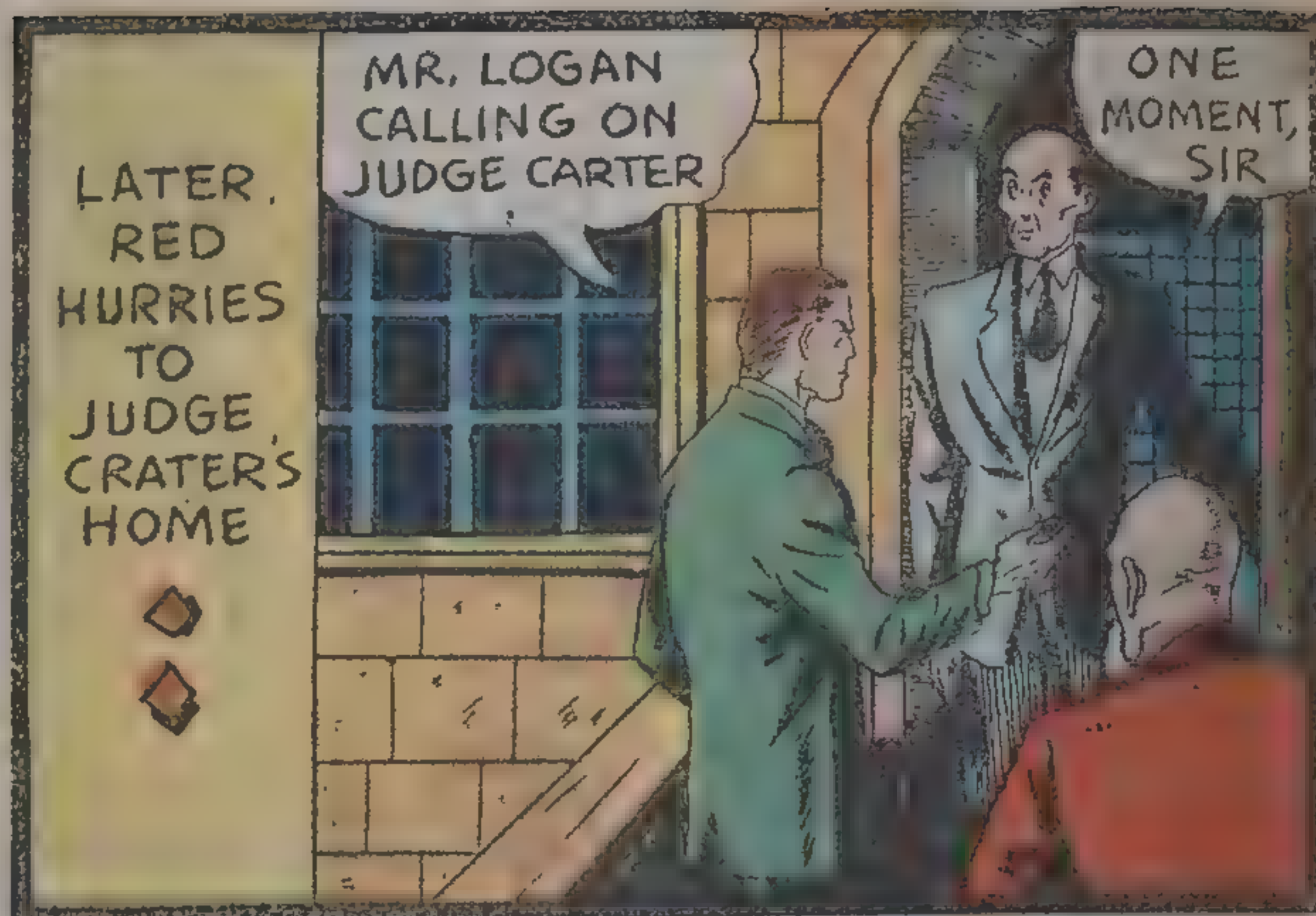
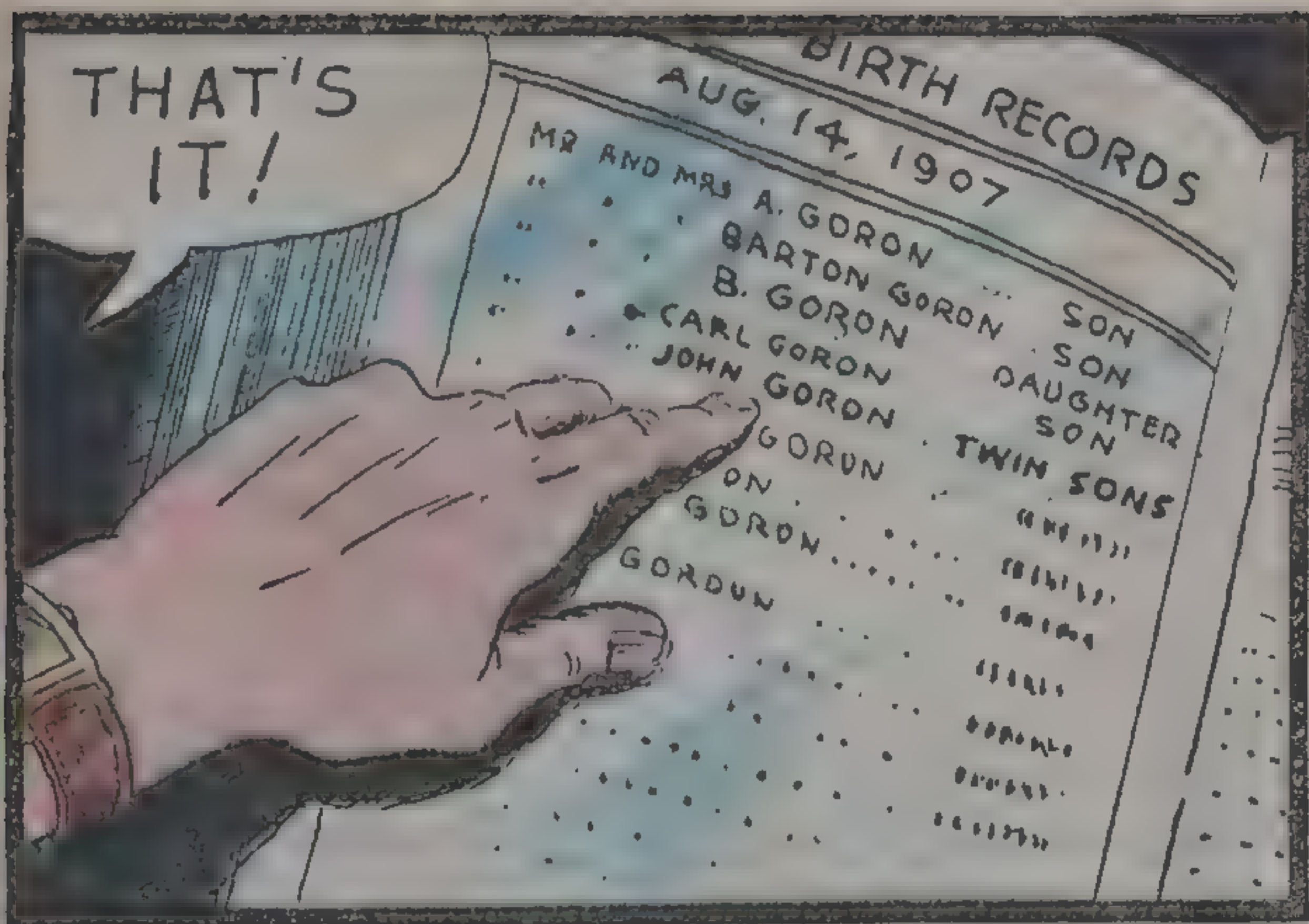
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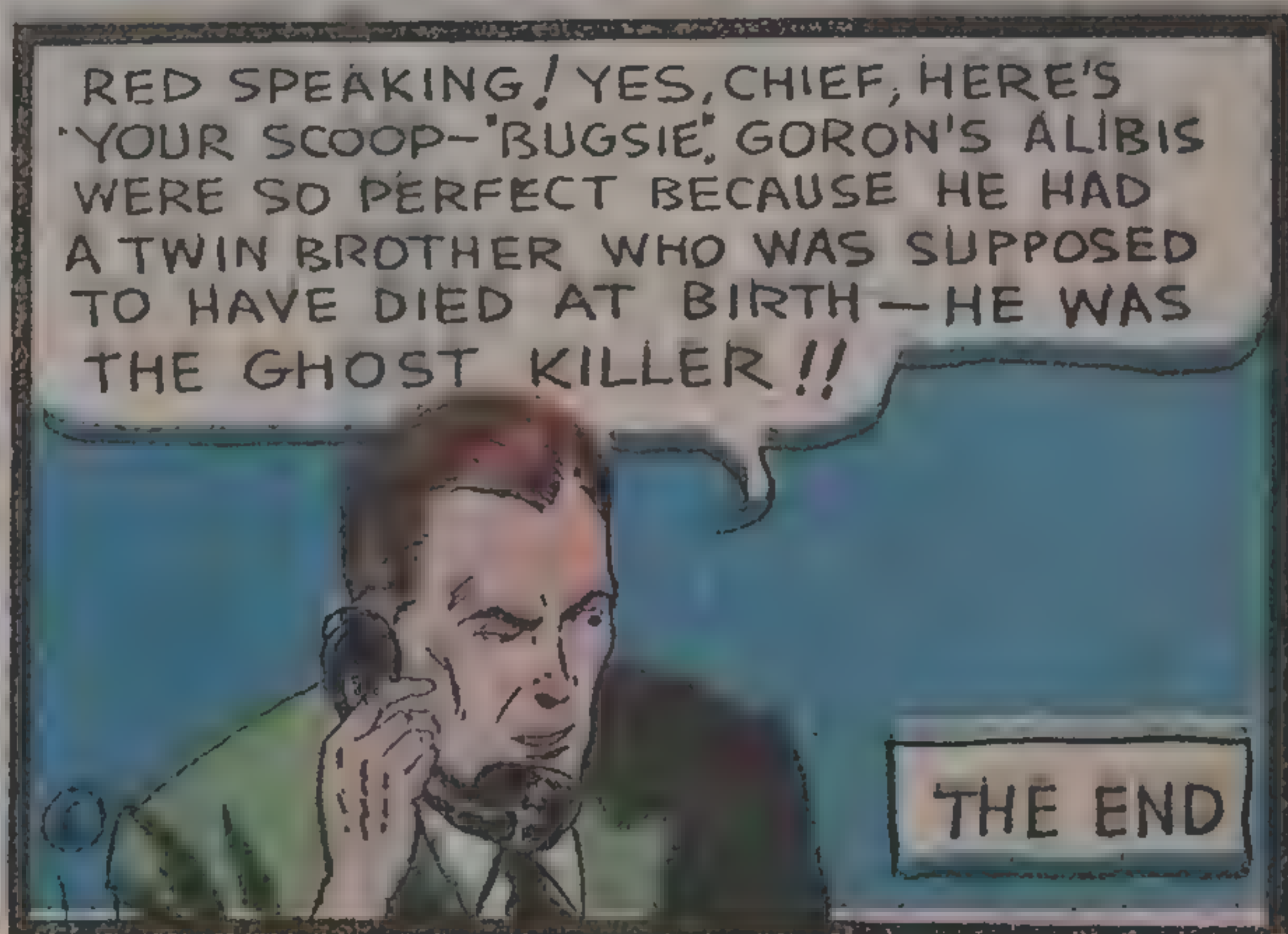
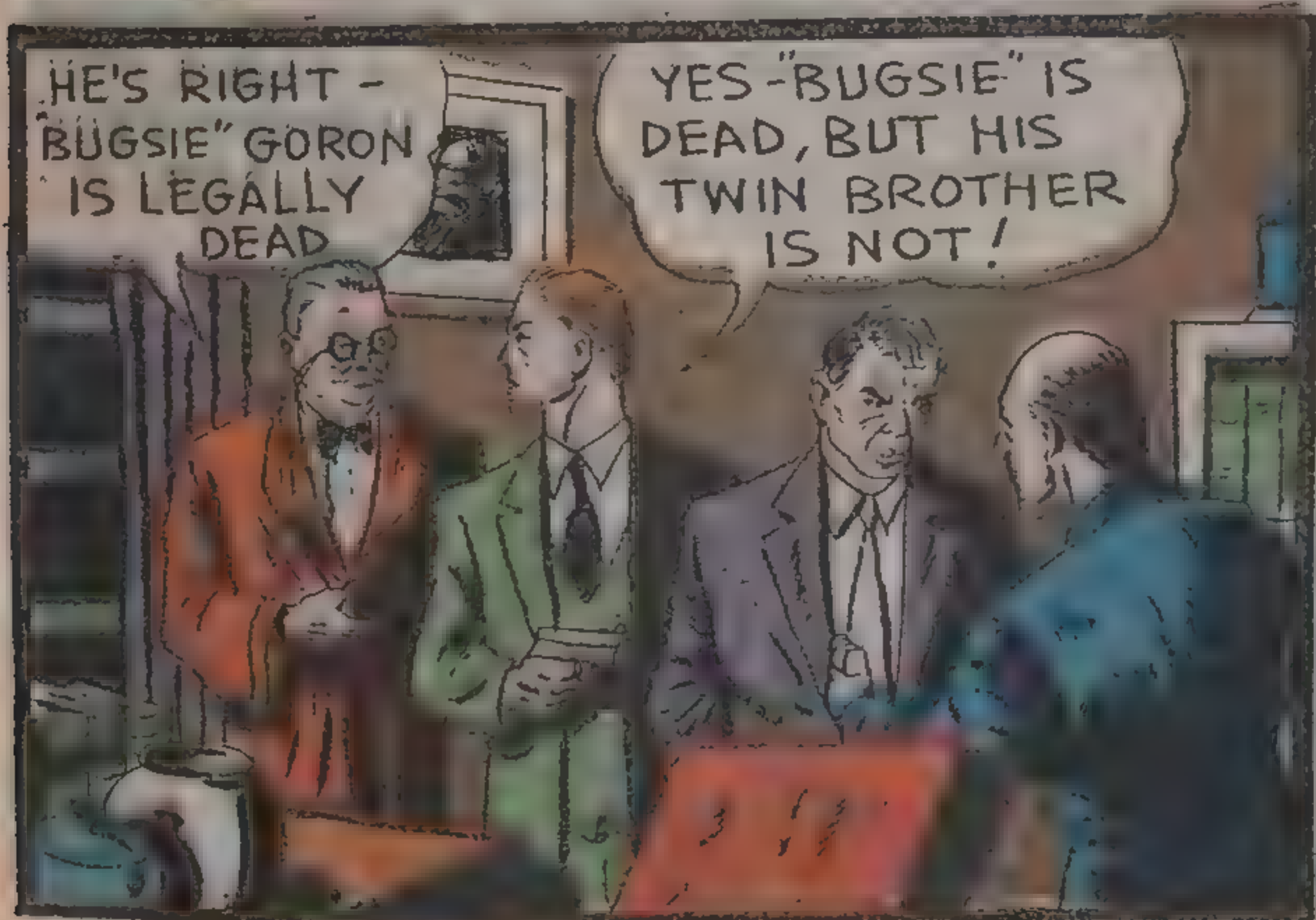
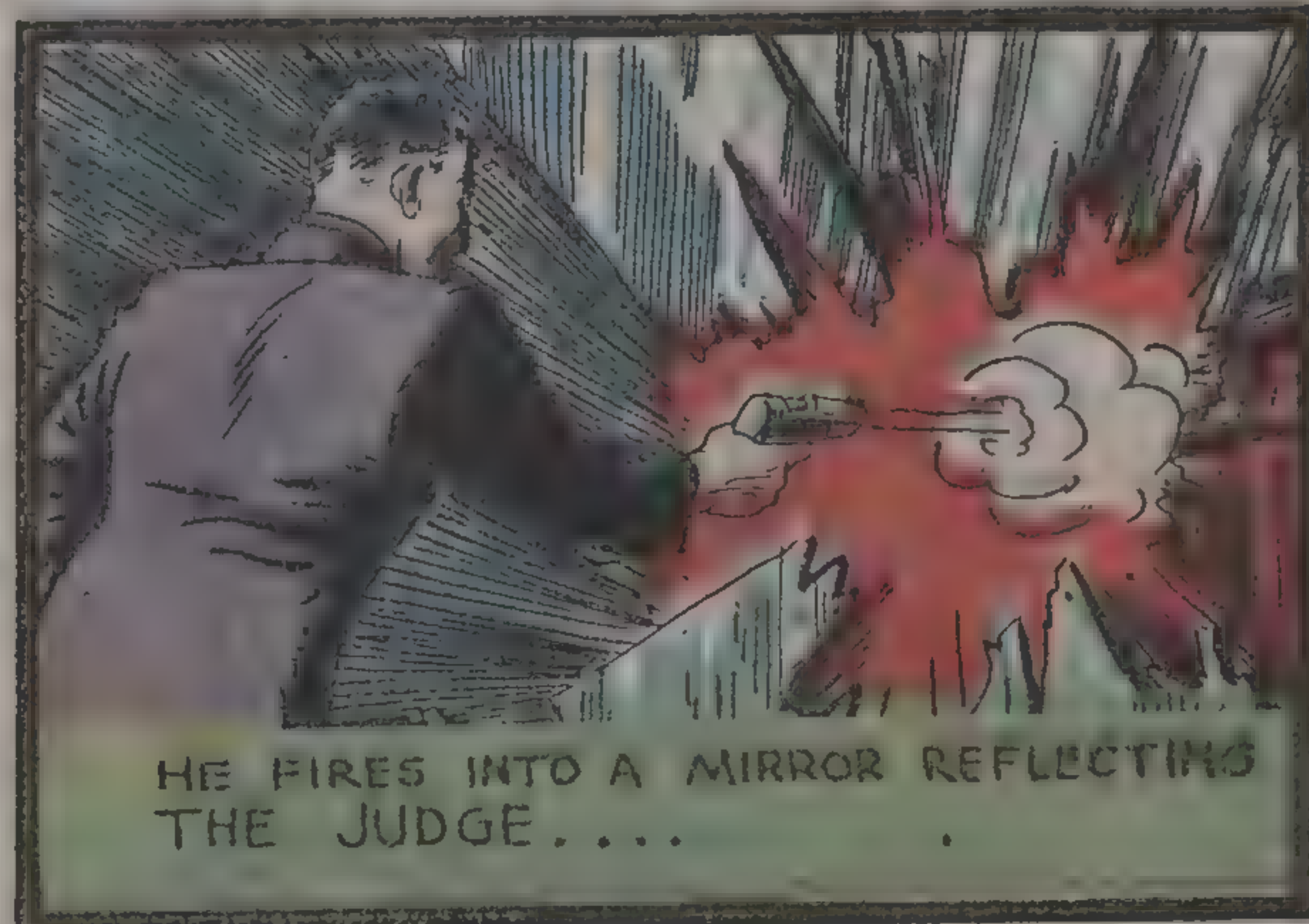












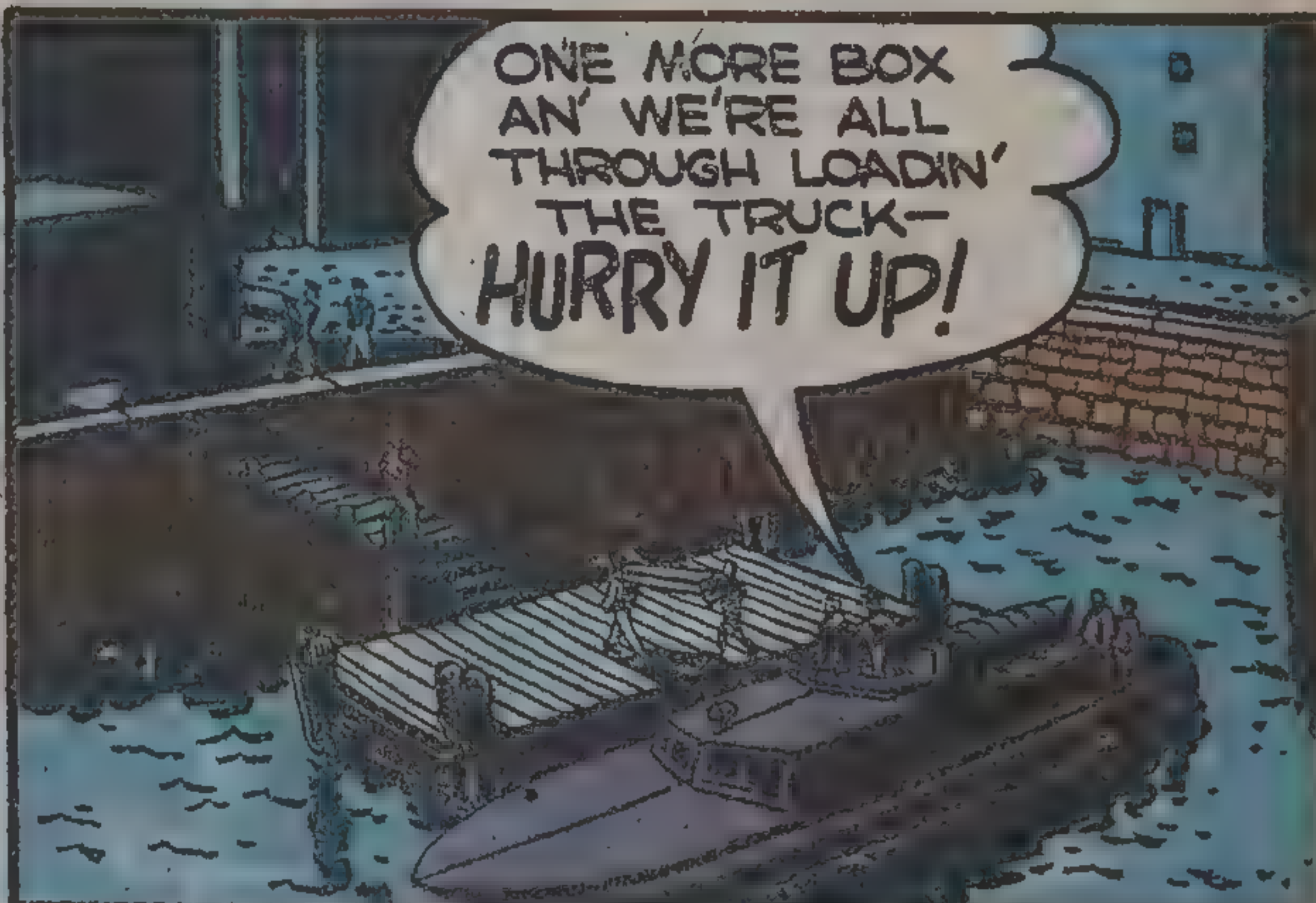
THE CRIMSON AVENGER



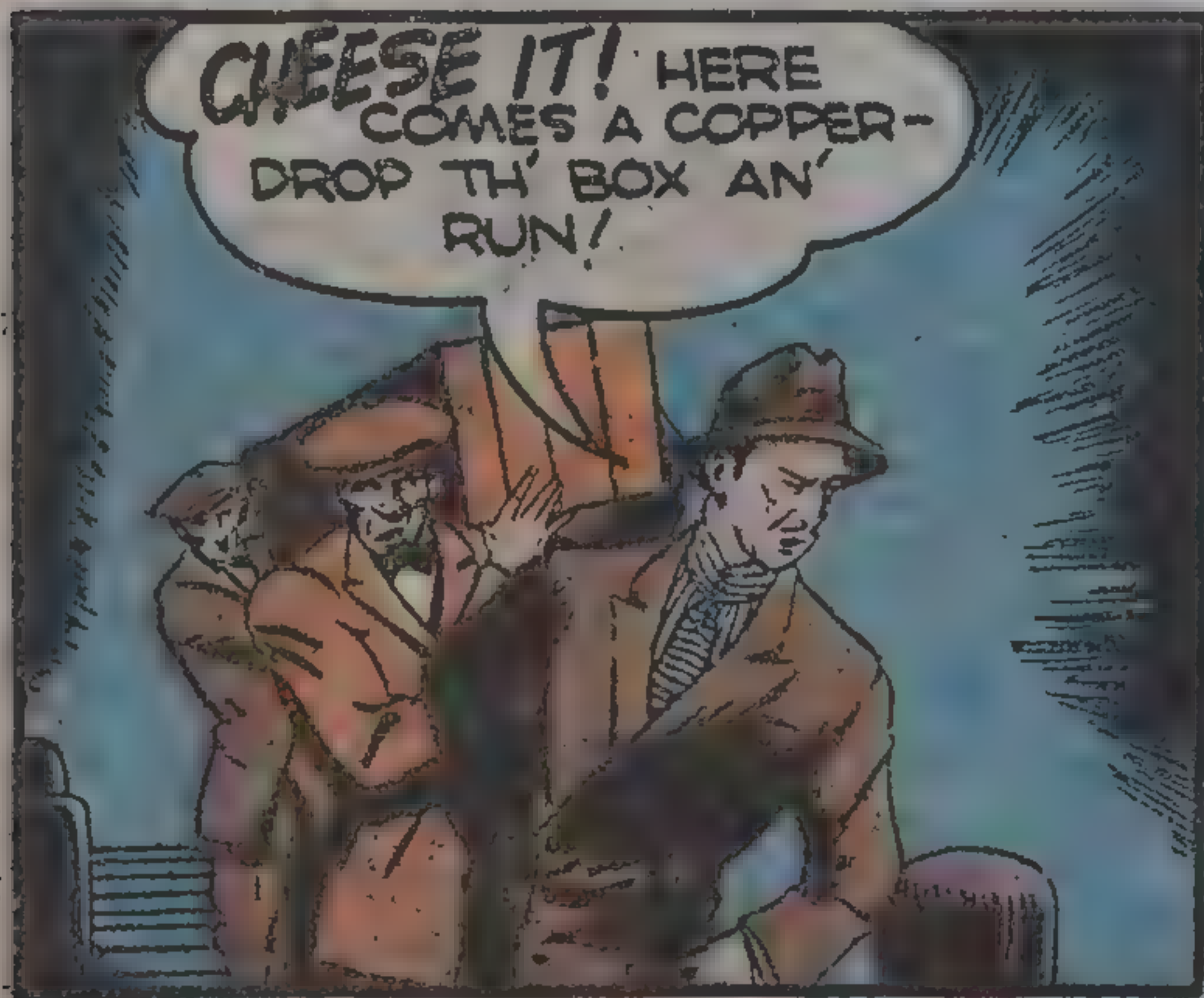
IT IS MIDNIGHT ON THE WATER-FRONT, AND SINISTER FIGURES ARE AT WORK



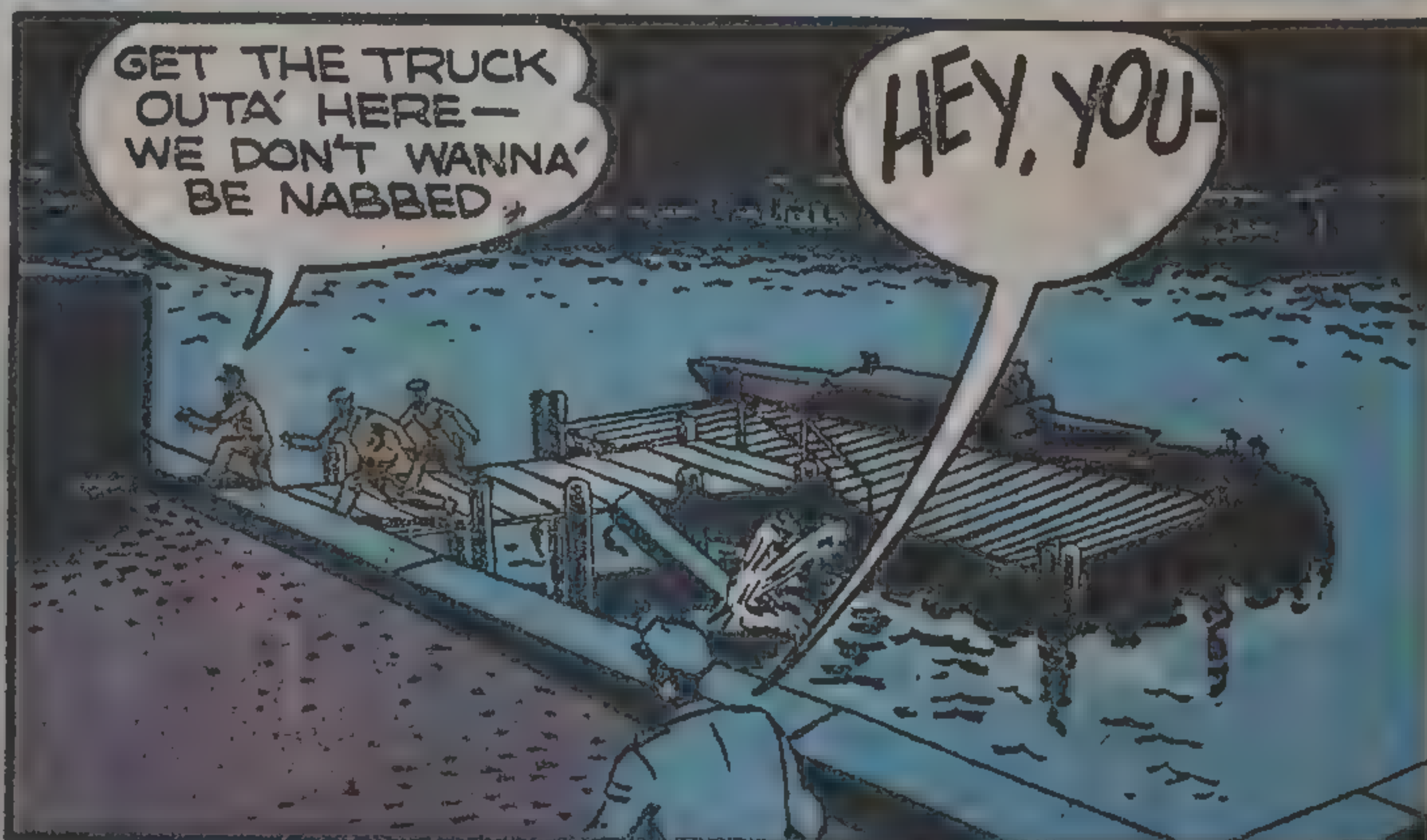
ONE MORE BOX AN' WE'RE ALL THROUGH LOADIN' THE TRUCK—
HURRY IT UP!



CHEESE IT! HERE COMES A COPPER—
DROP TH' BOX AN' RUN!



GET THE TRUCK OUTA' HERE—
WE DON'T WANNA' BE NABBED



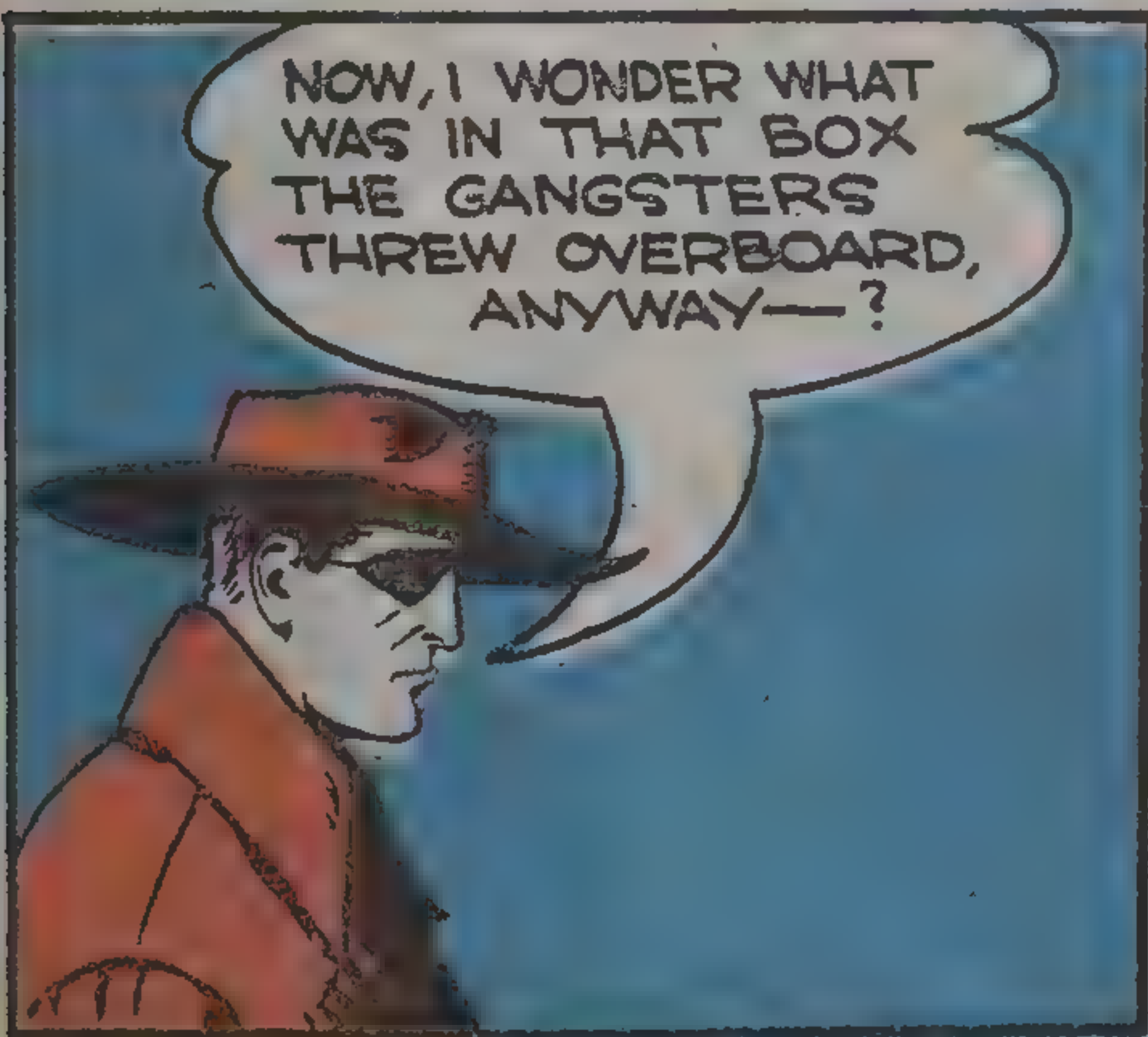
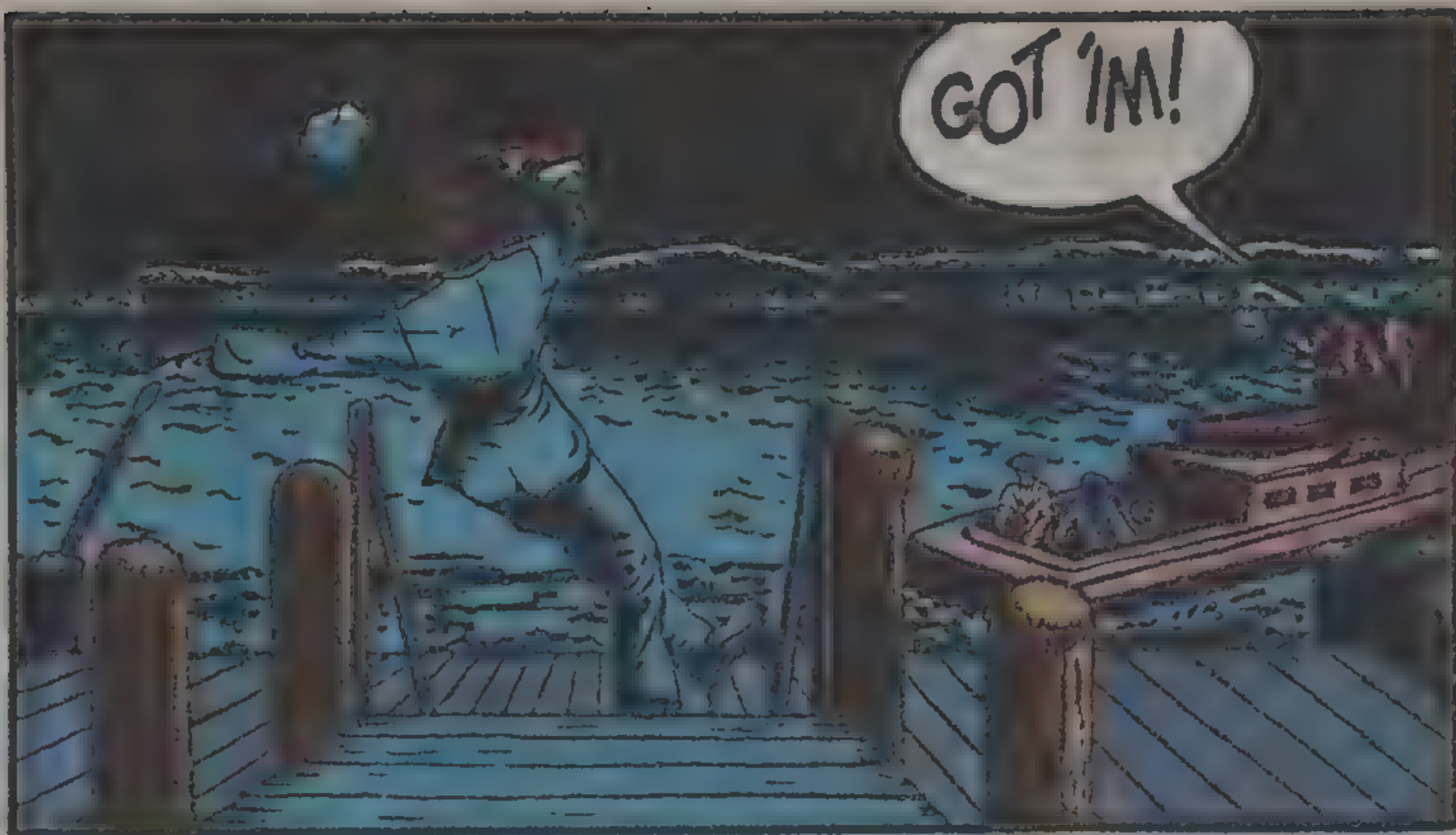
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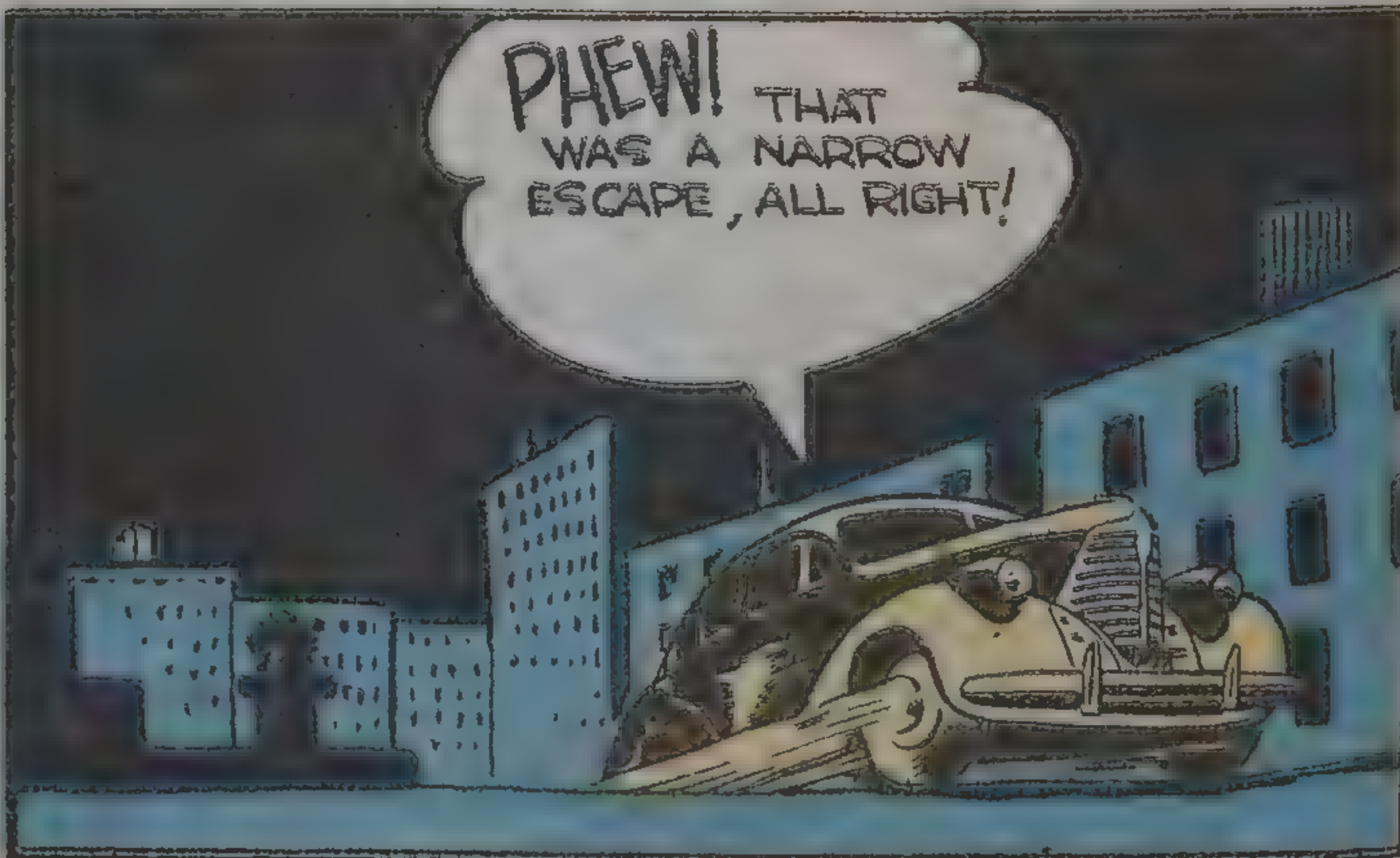
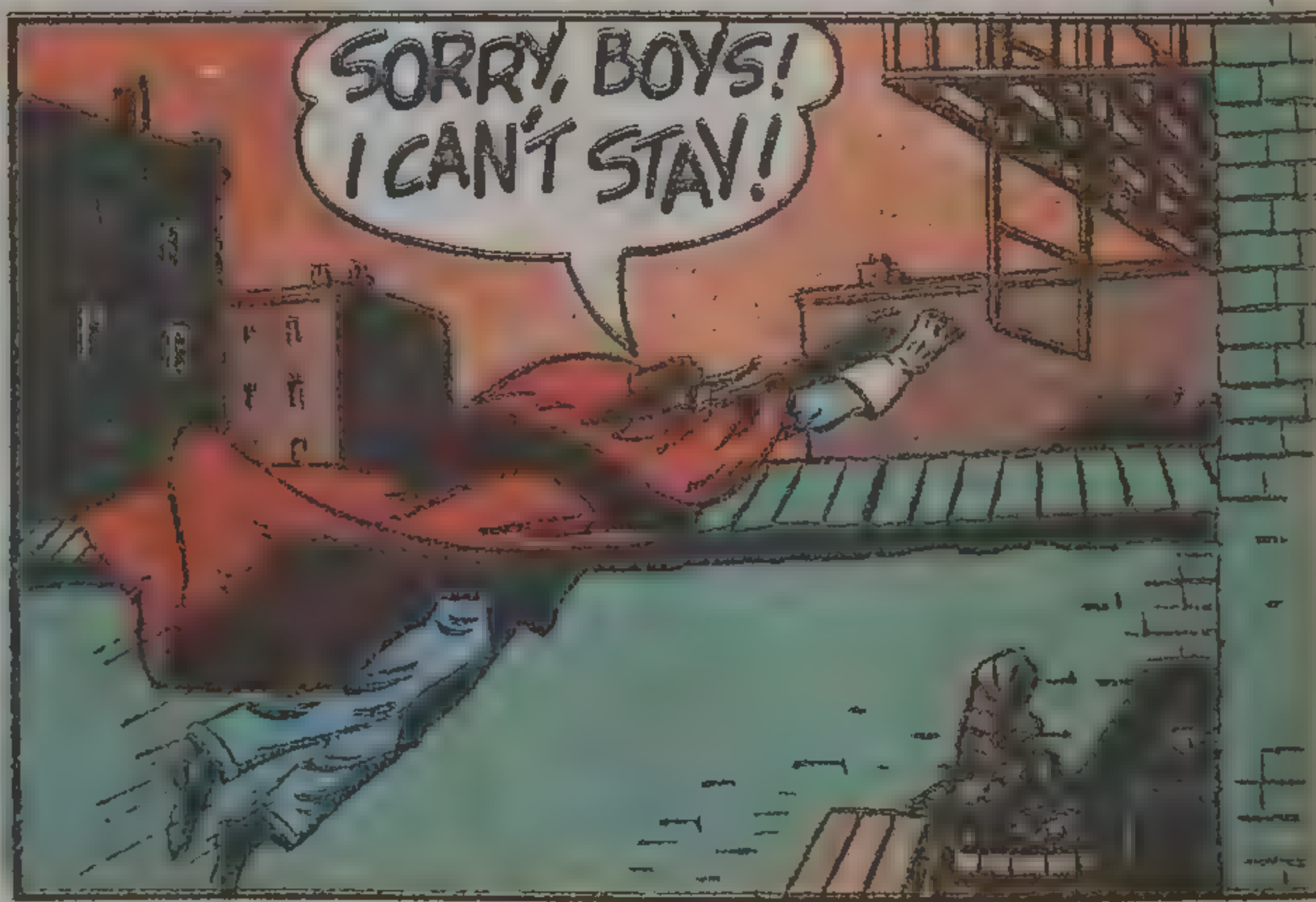
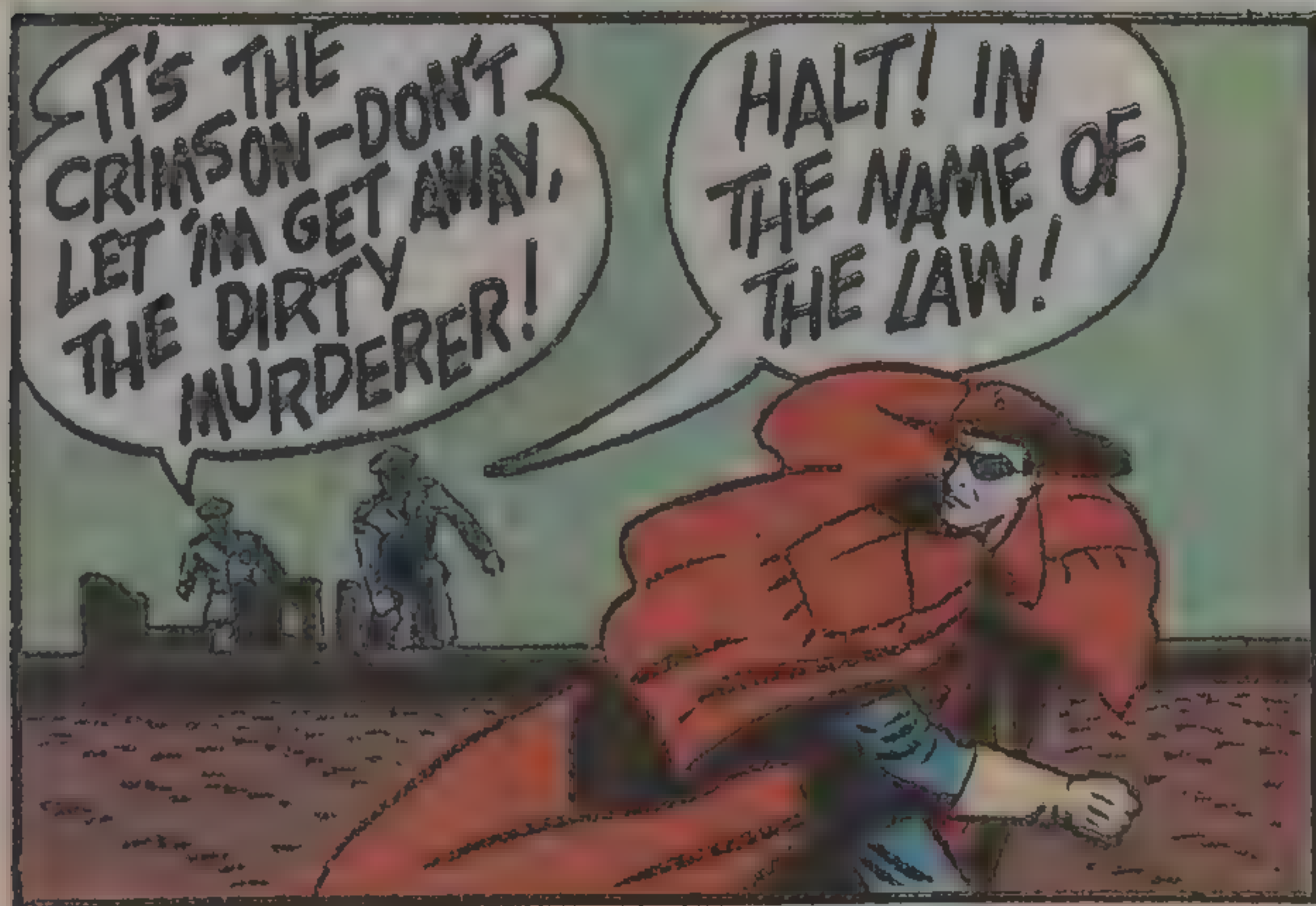
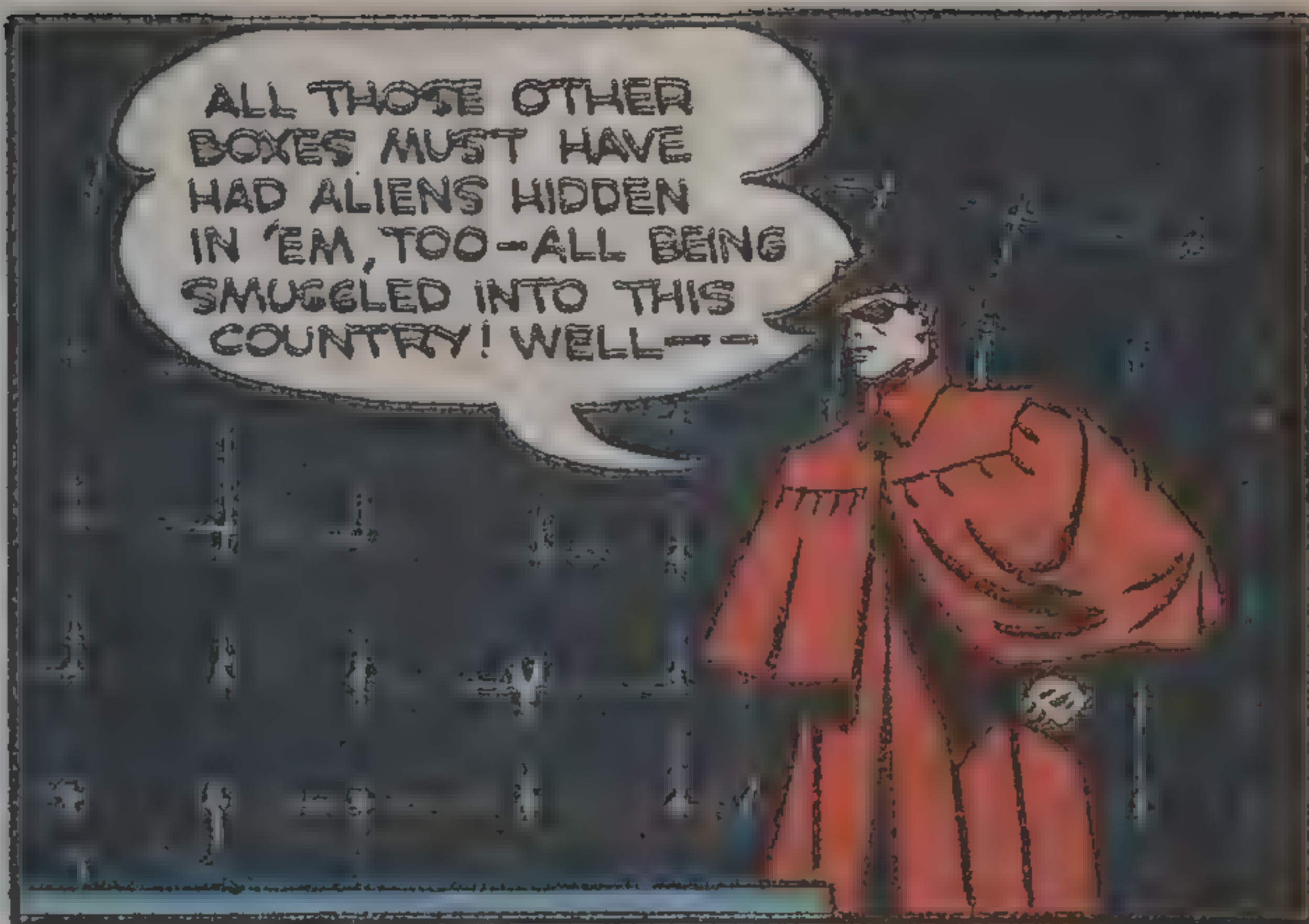
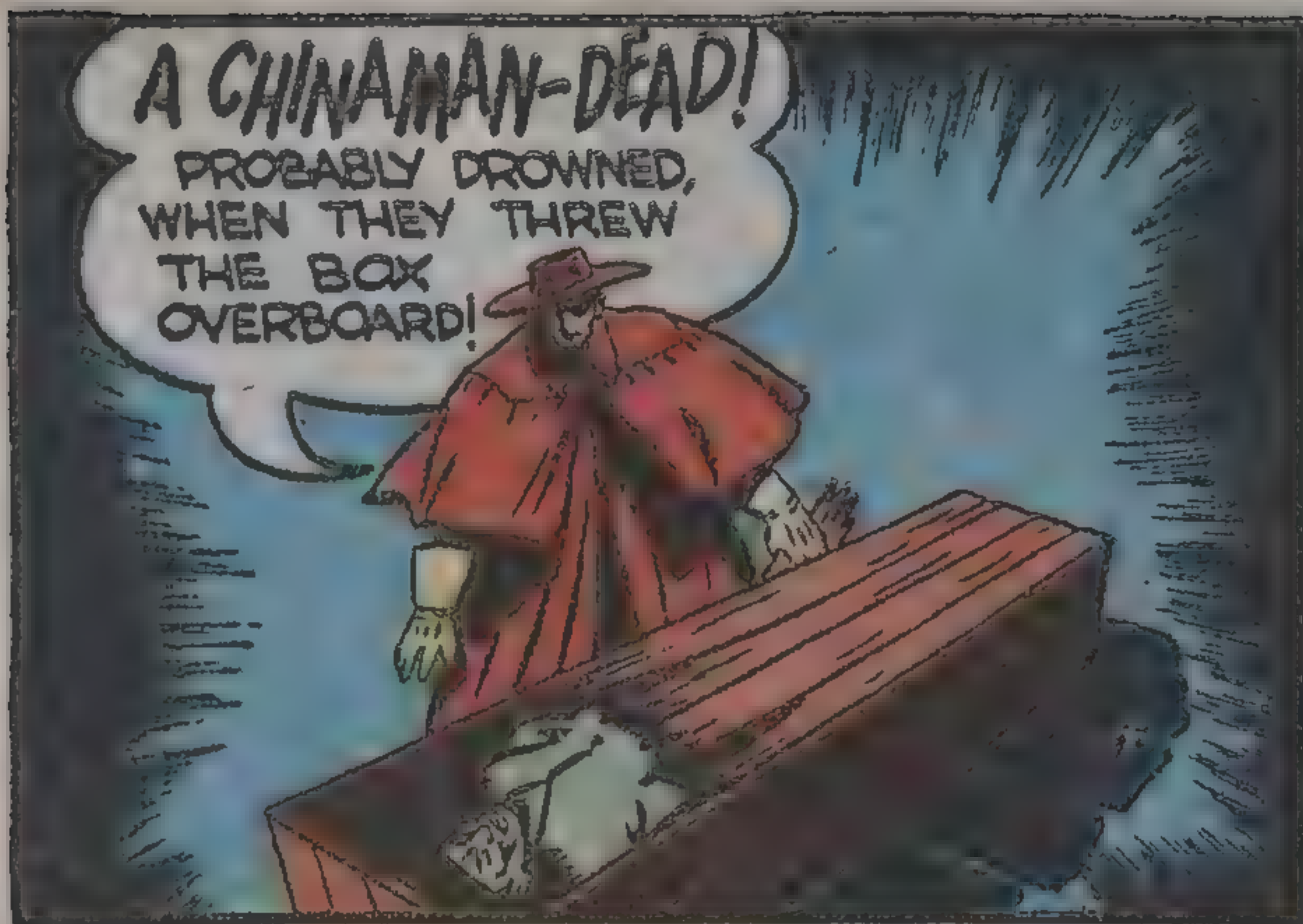
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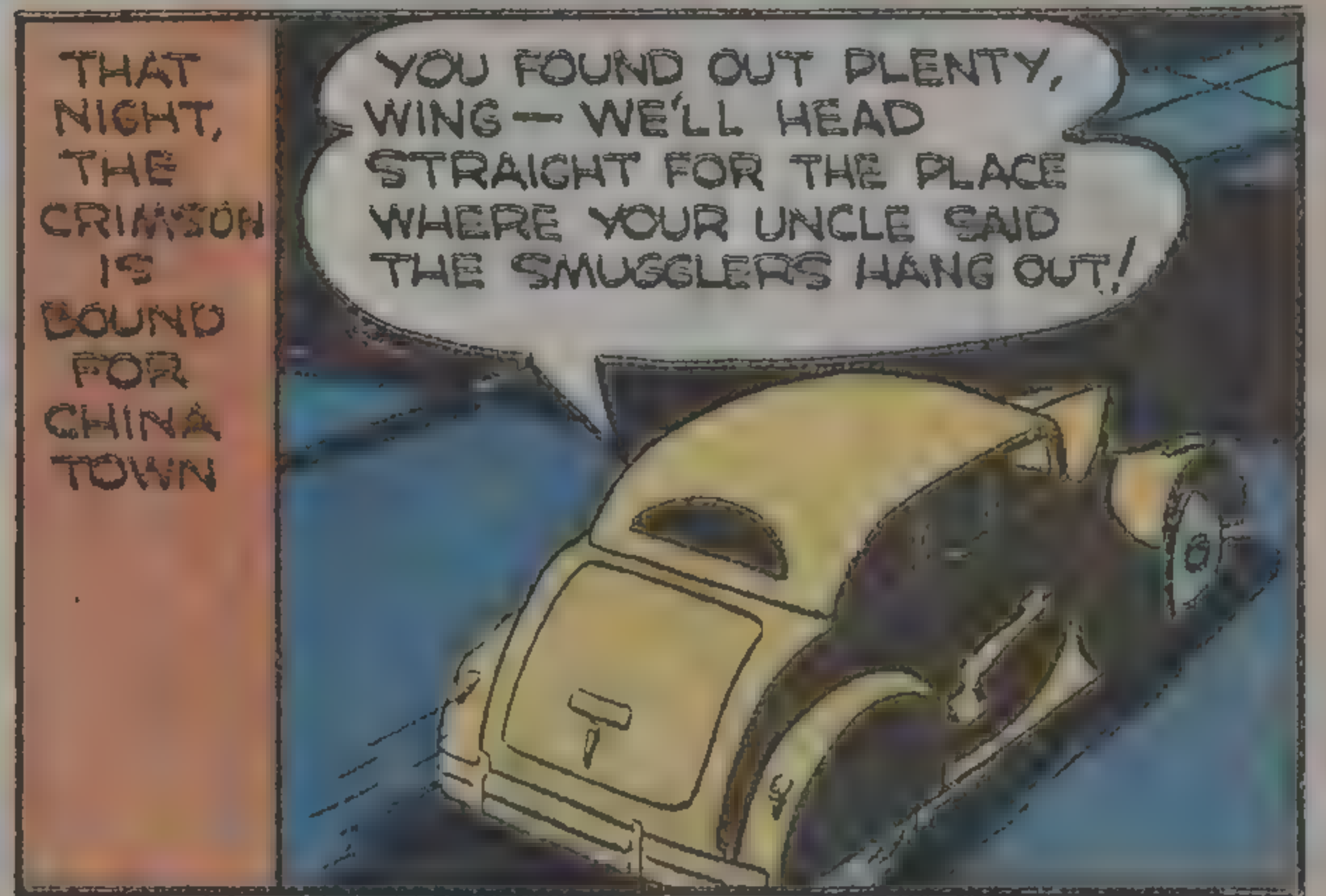
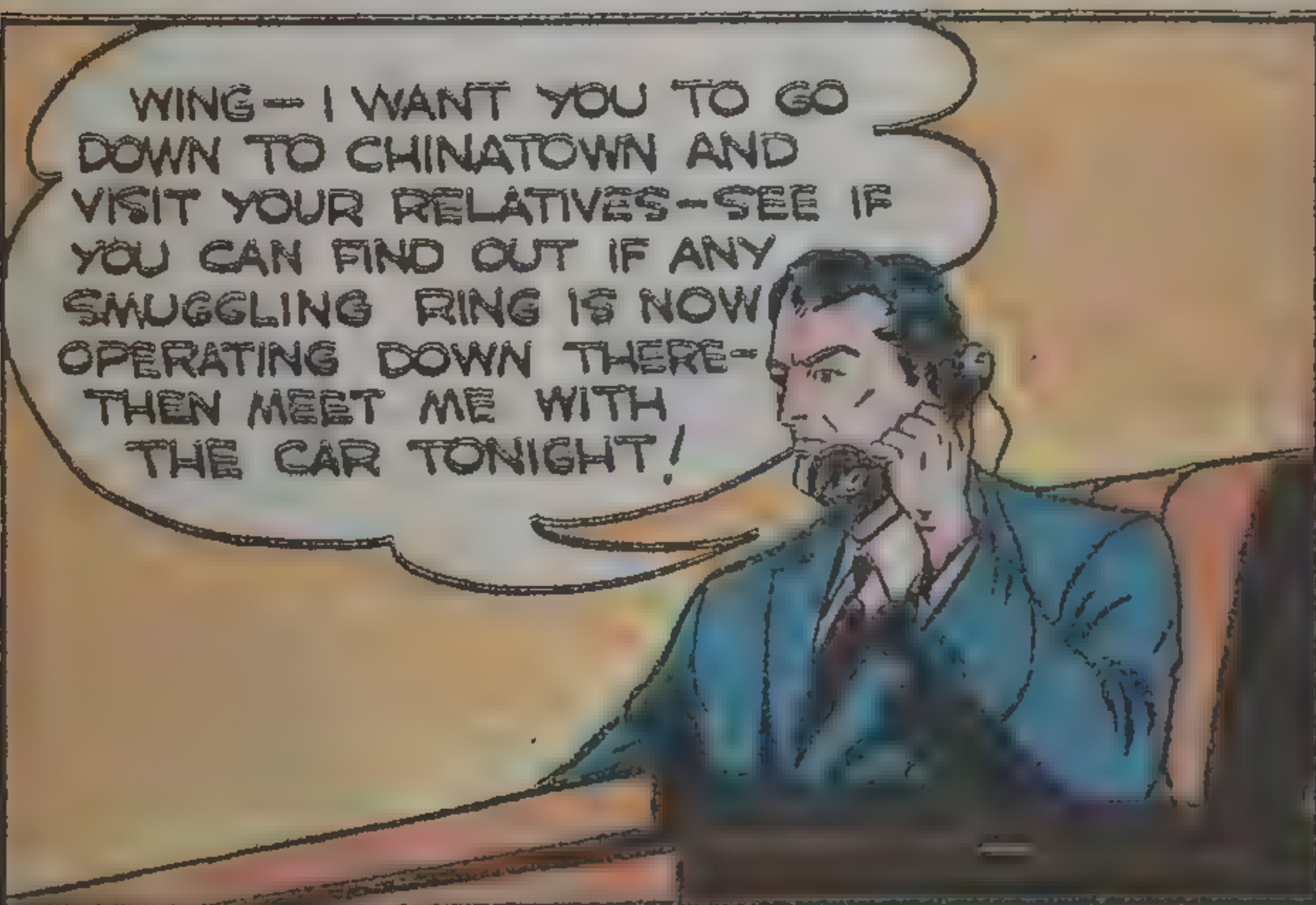
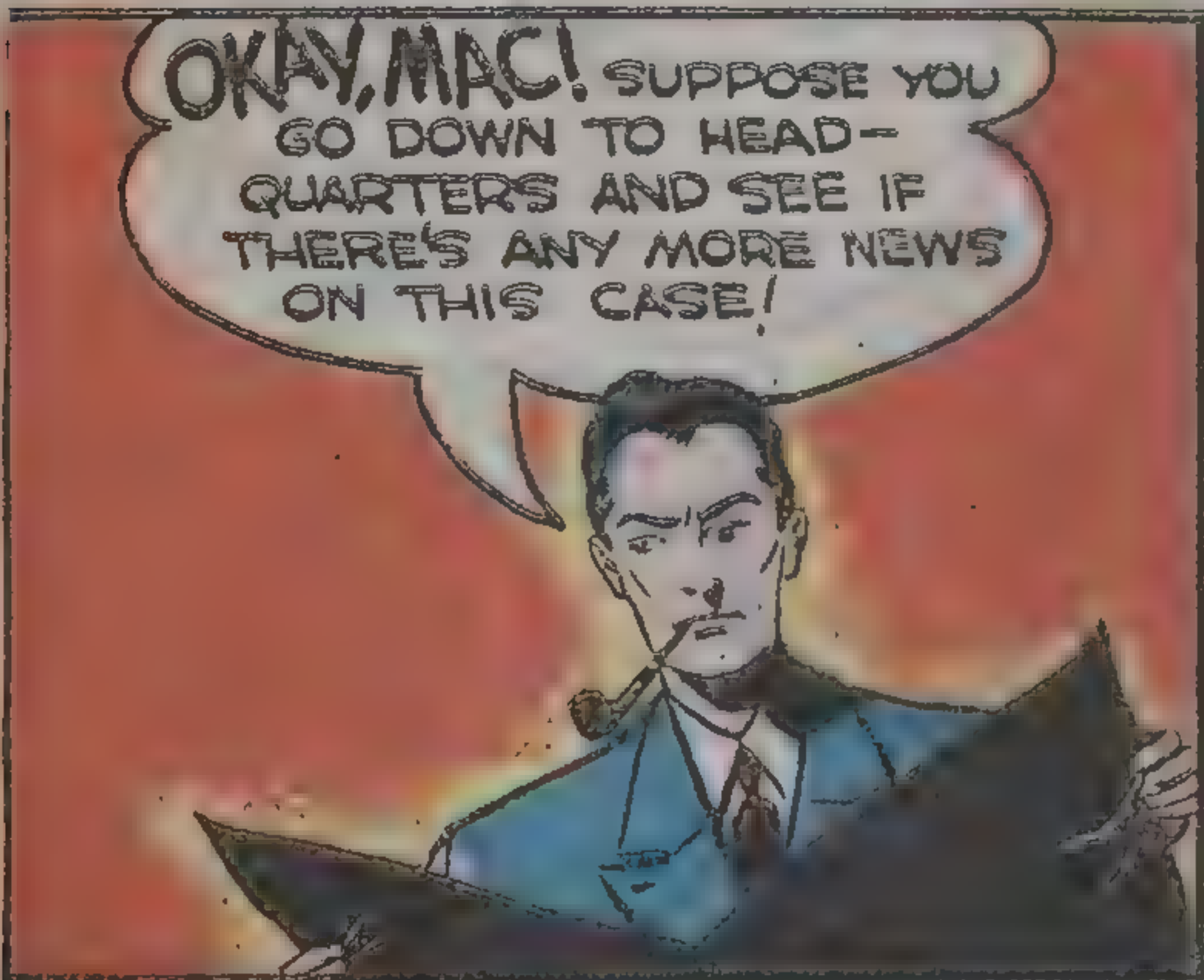
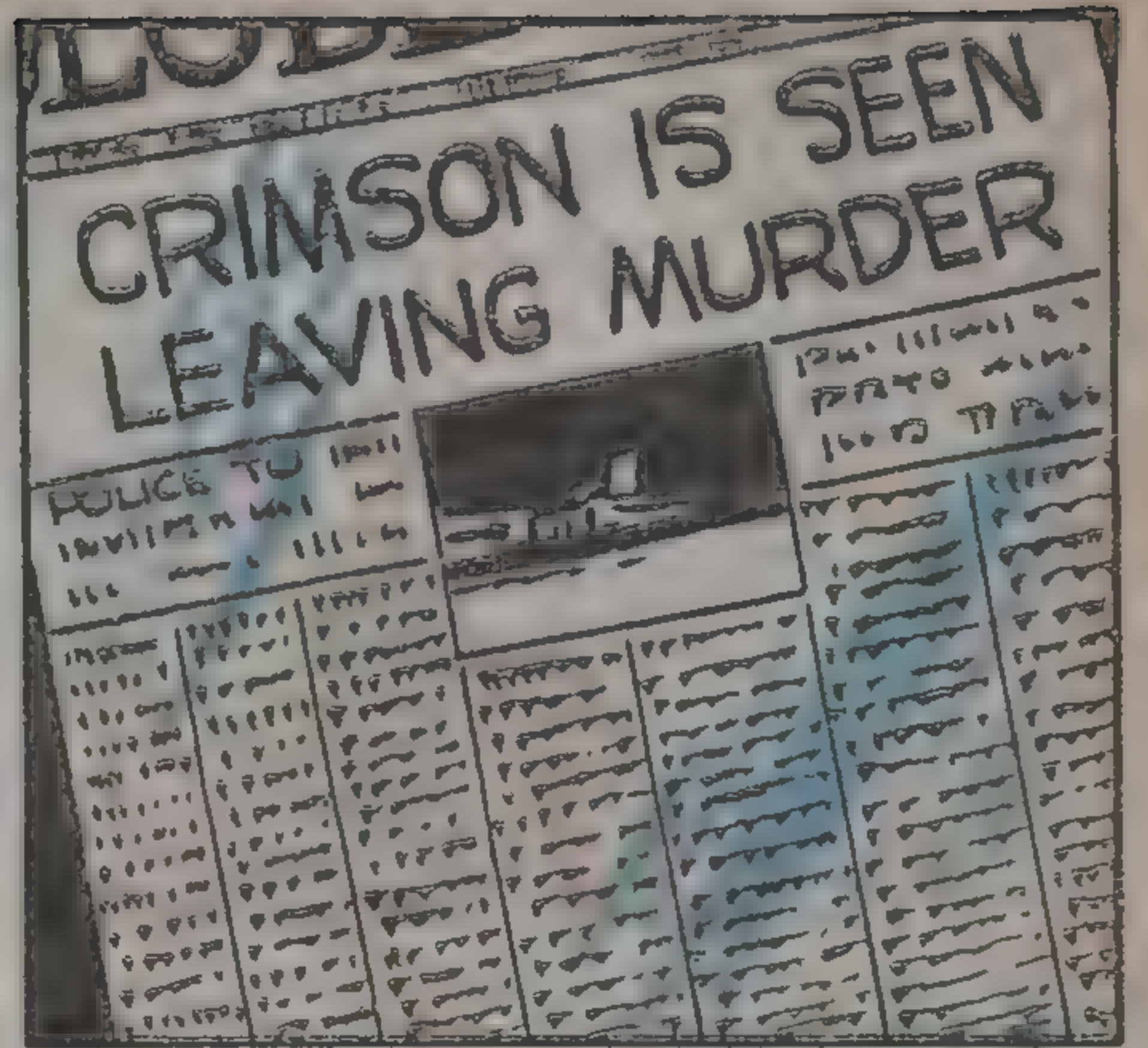
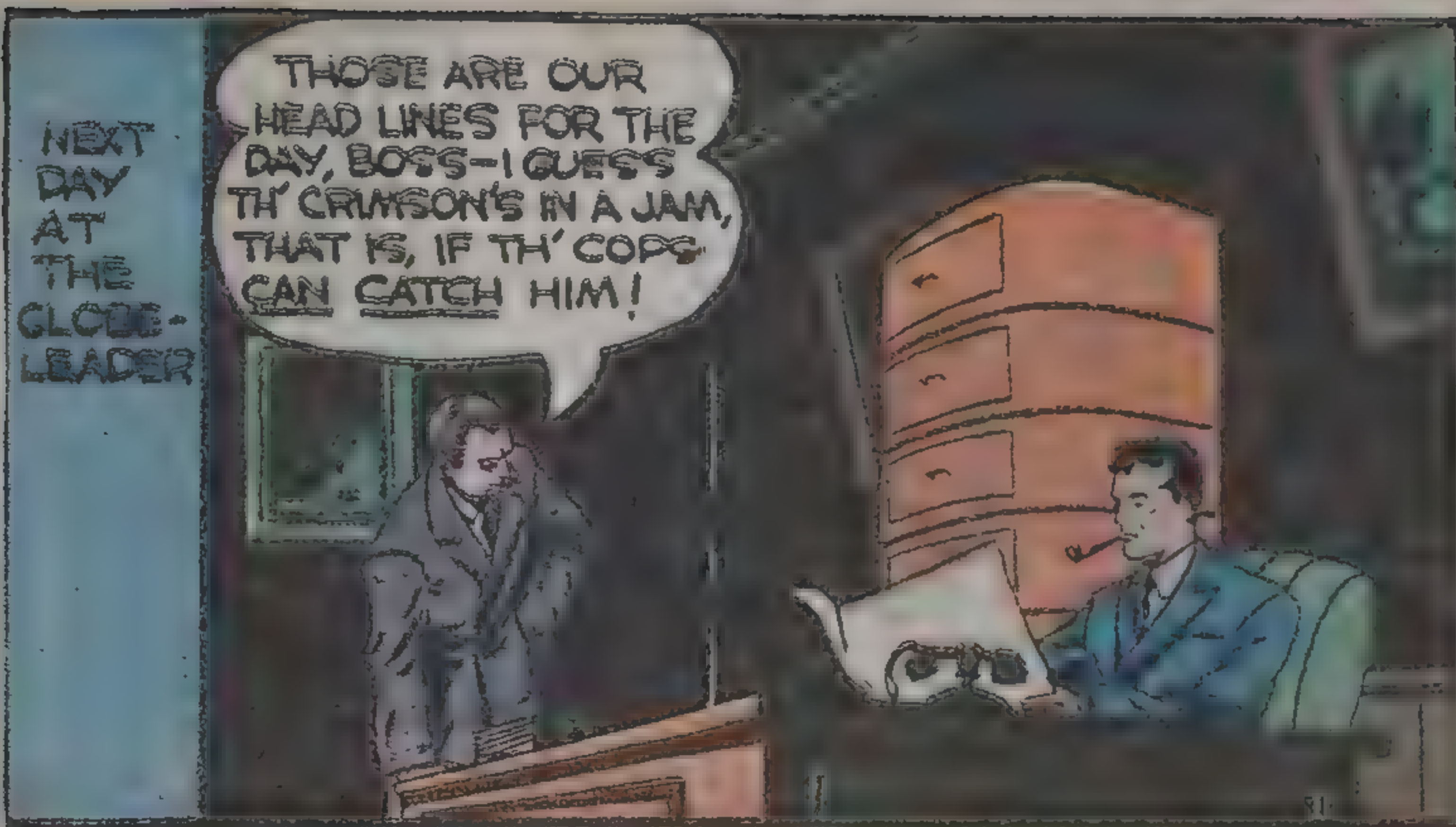


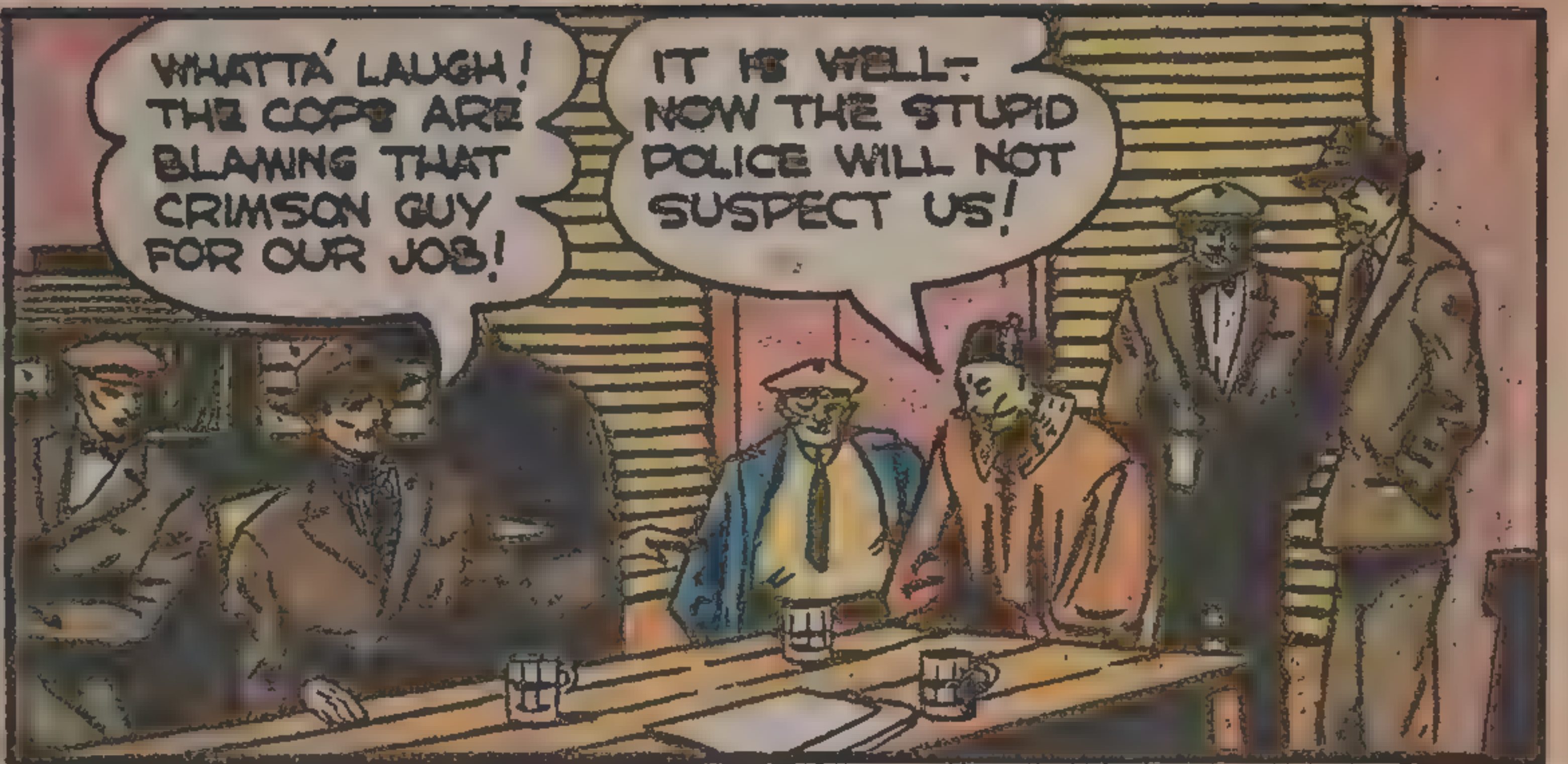
WHAT WERE YOU GUYS PUTTIN' IN THAT TRUCK THAT JUST BEAT IT OUTA' HERE? IF YOU ASK ME, IT LOOKS LIKE SMUGGLIN'—
I BETTER RUN YOU MUGS IN!

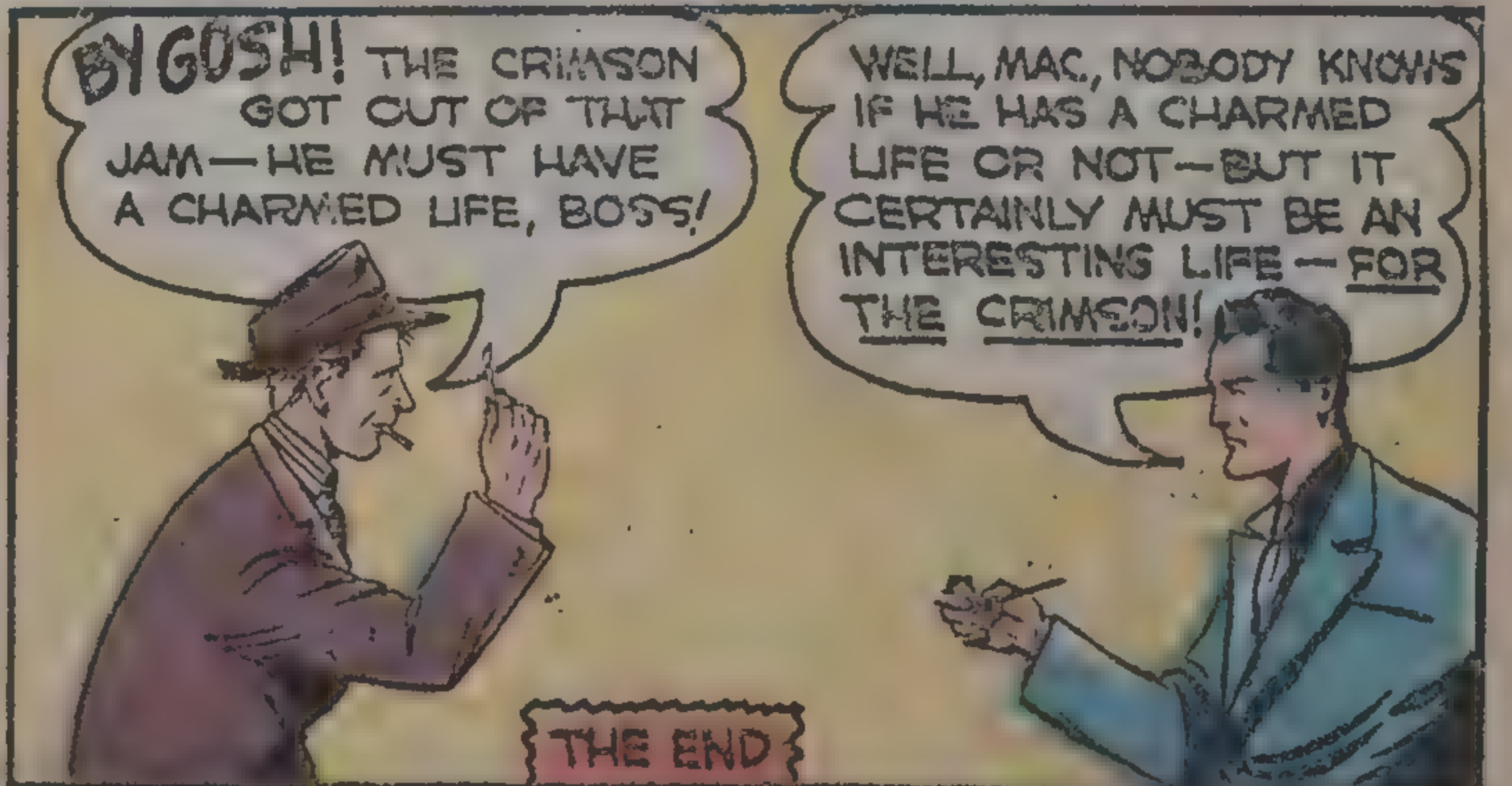
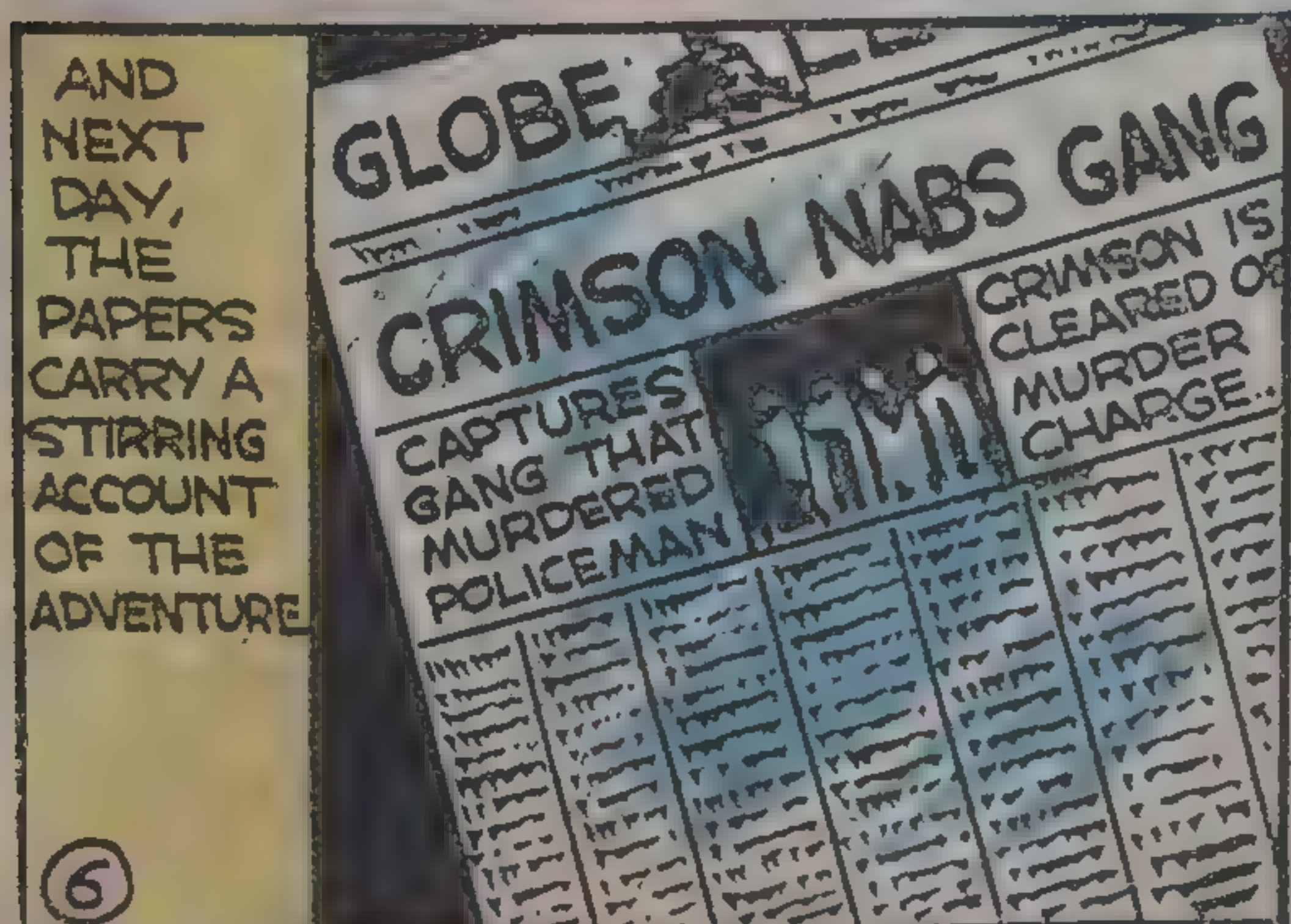
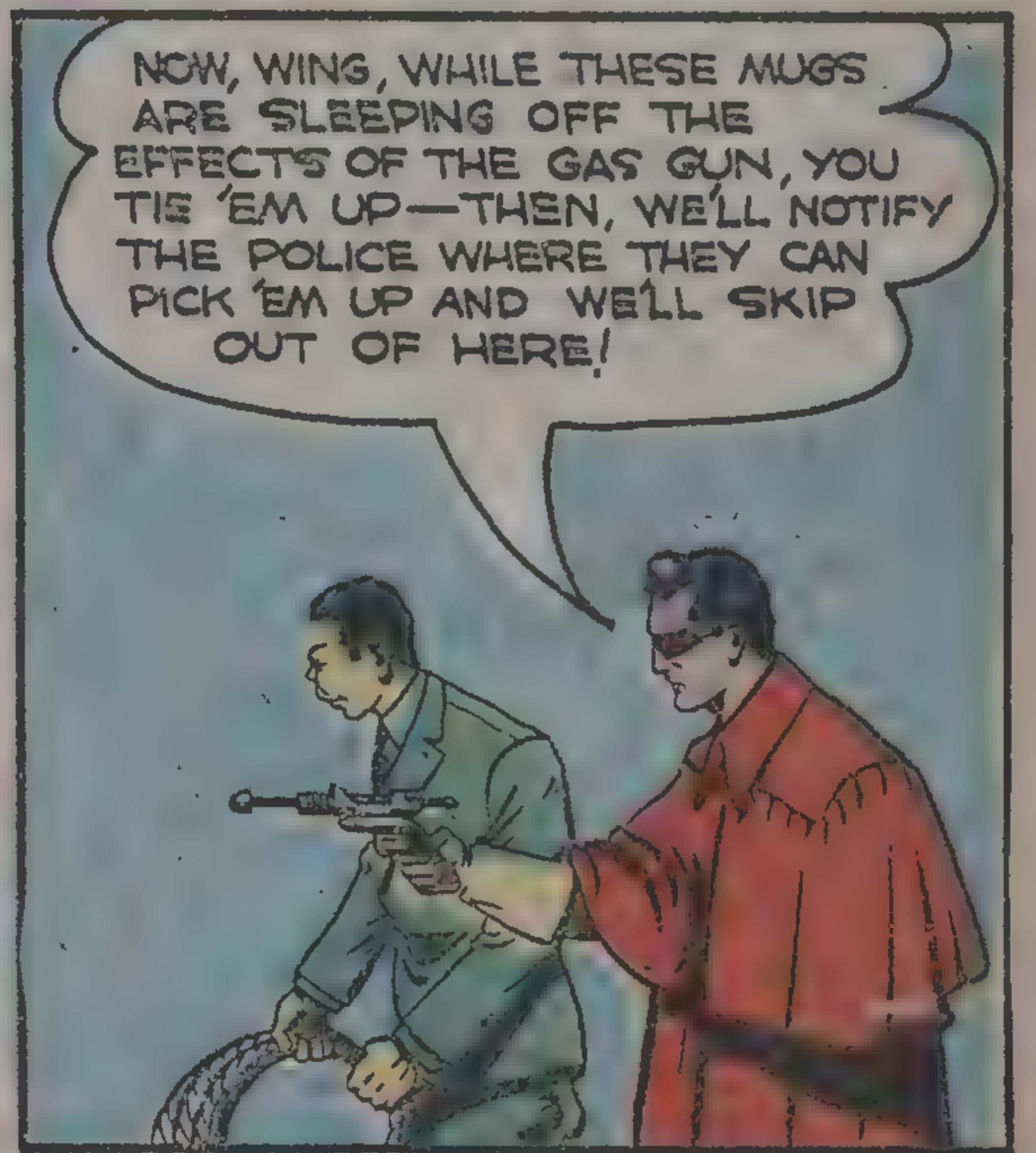
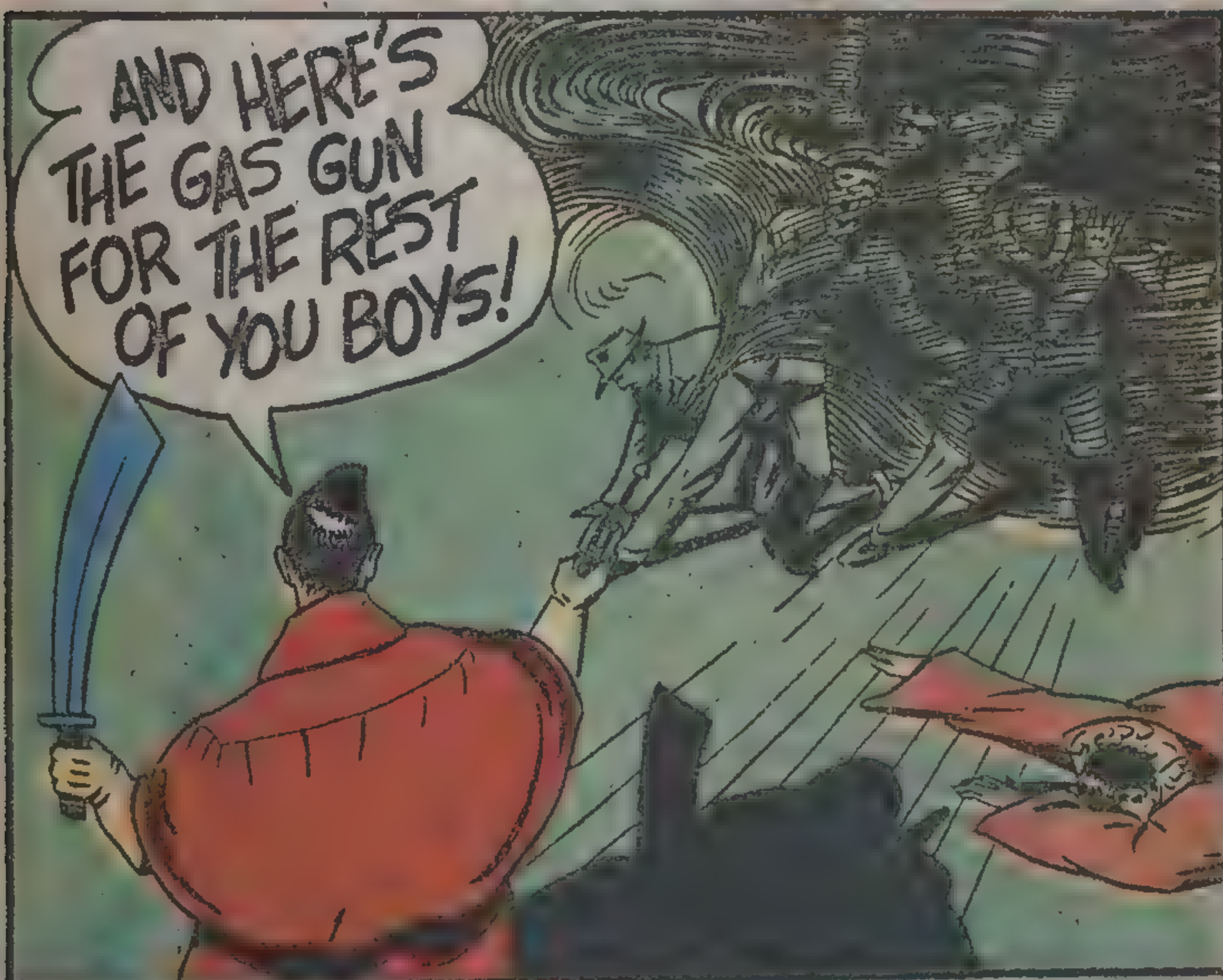
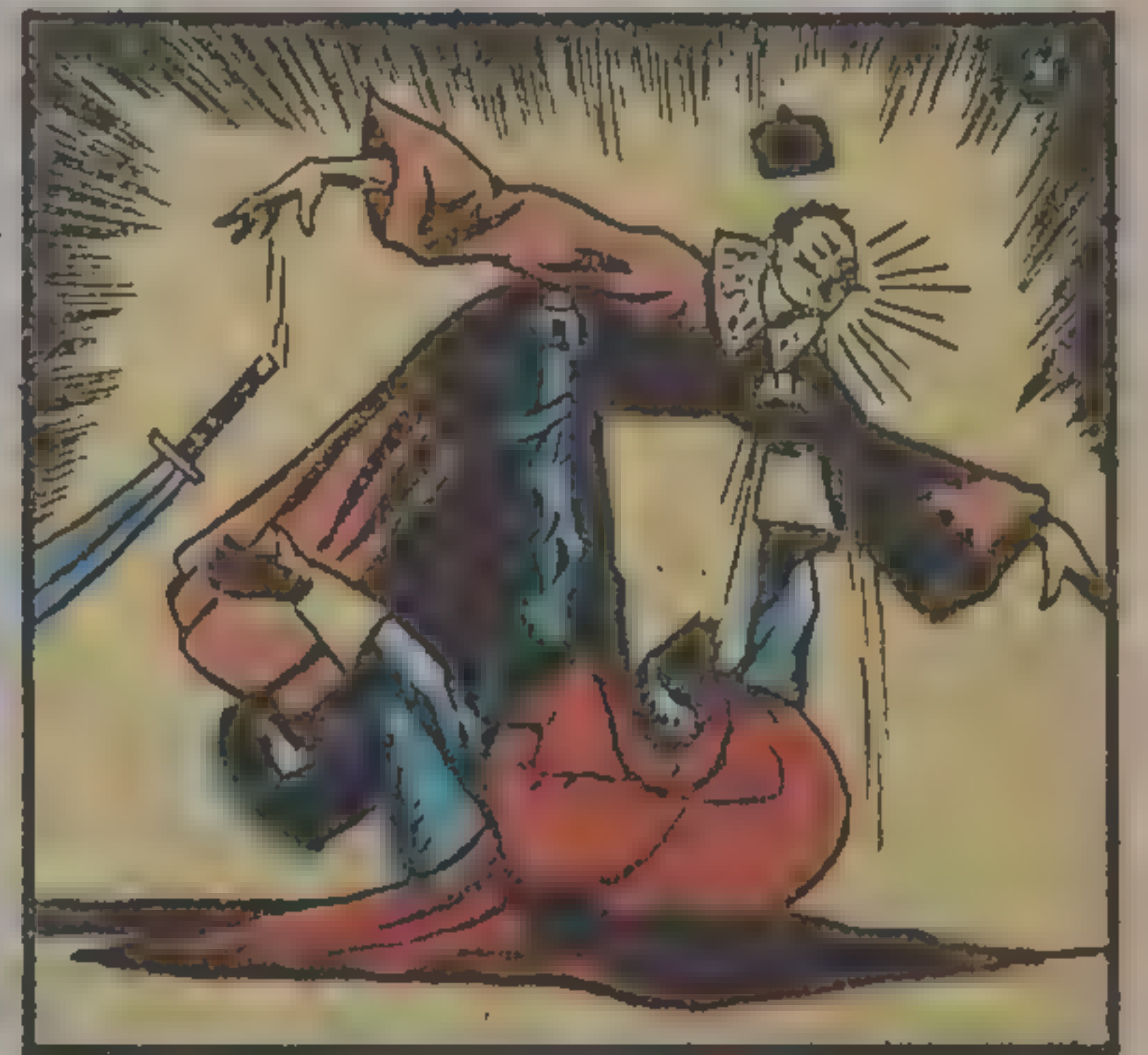
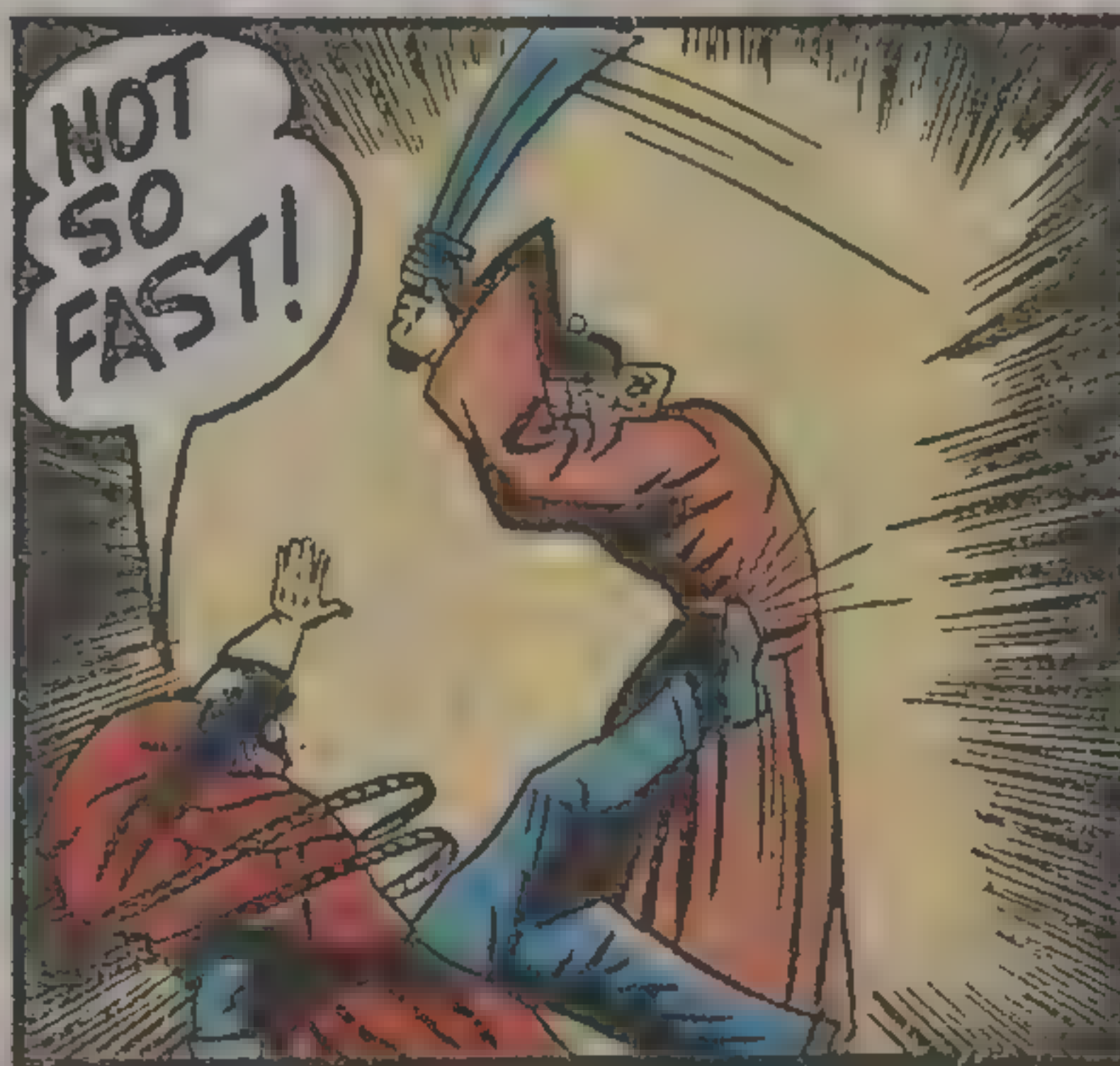
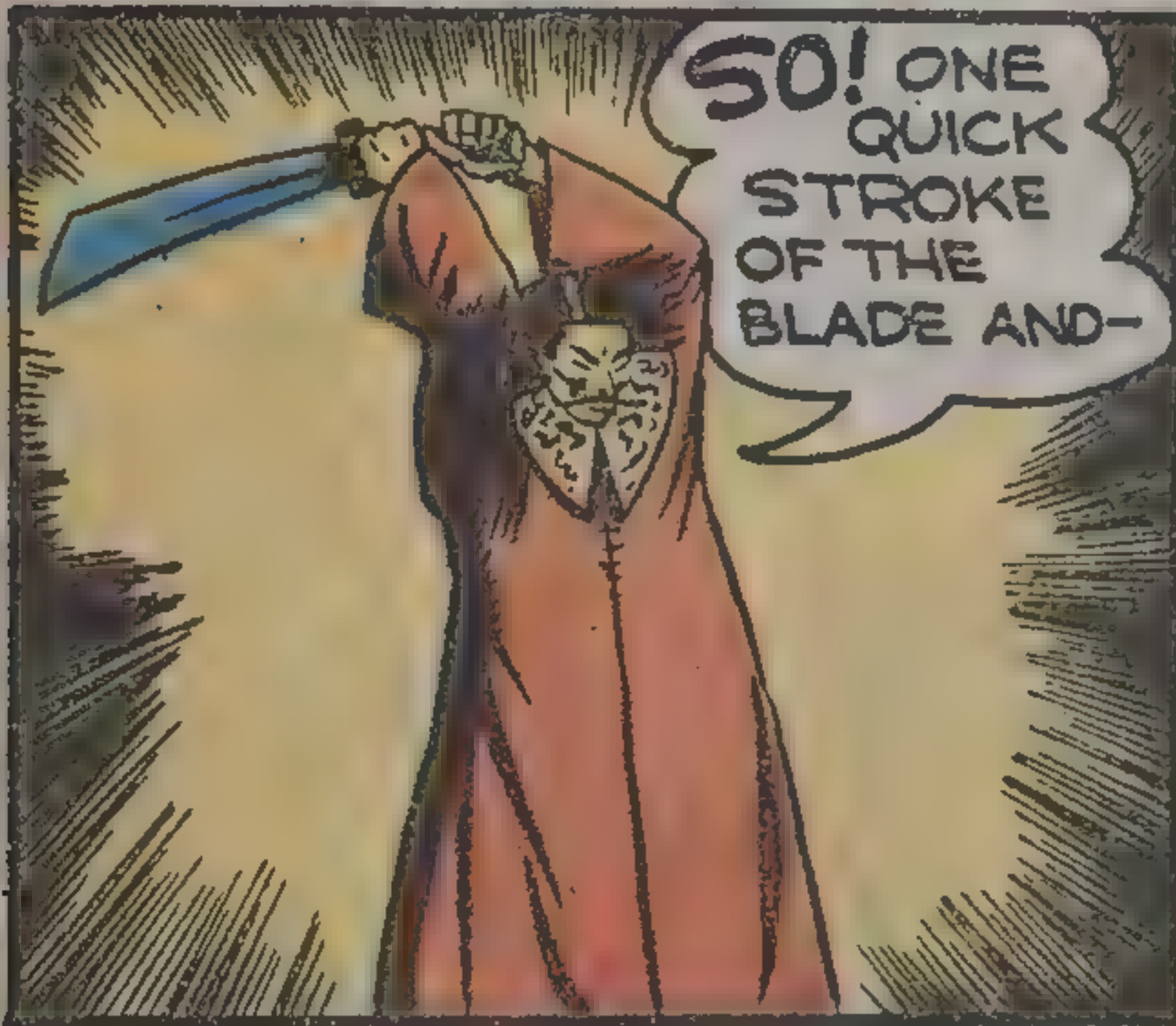
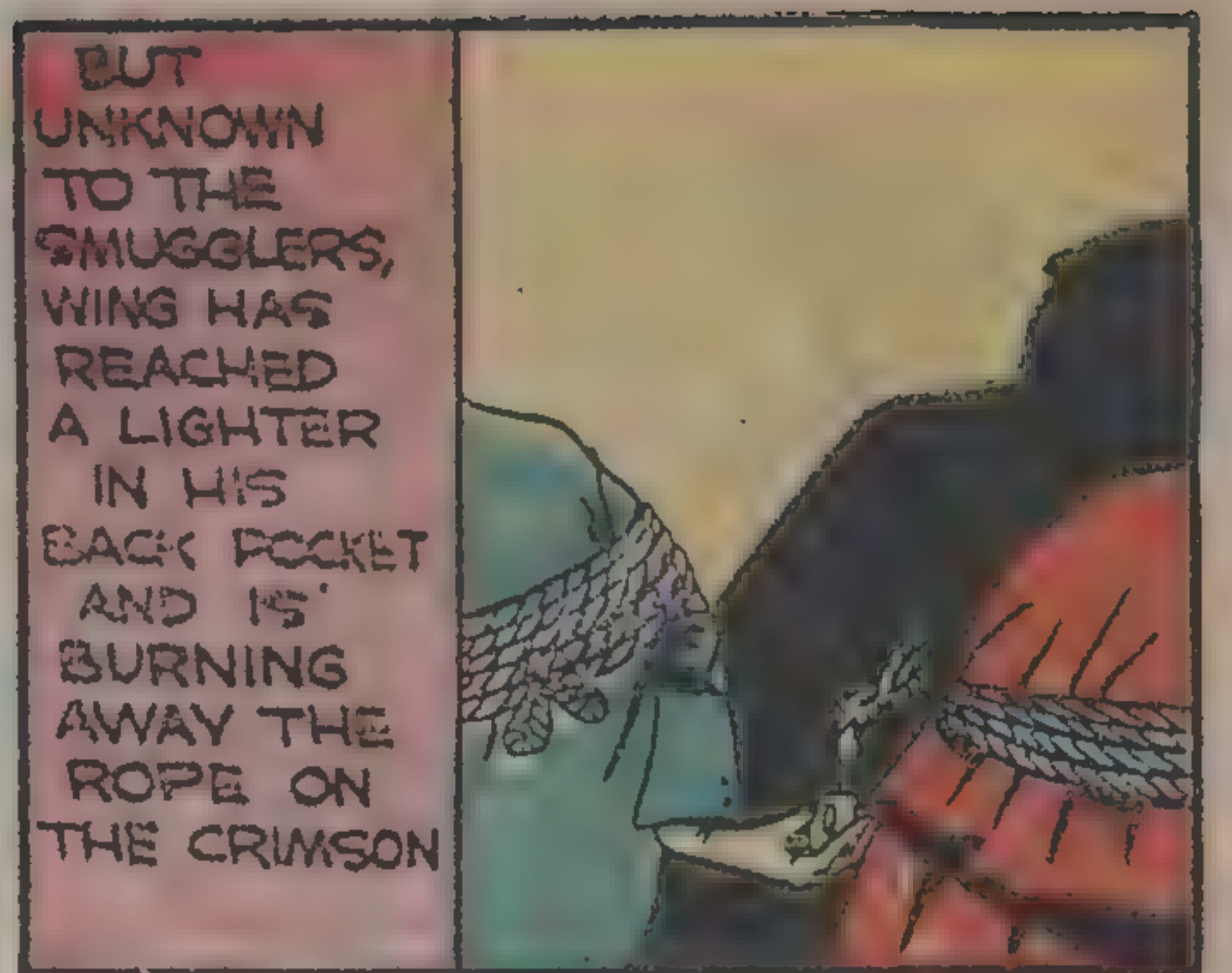
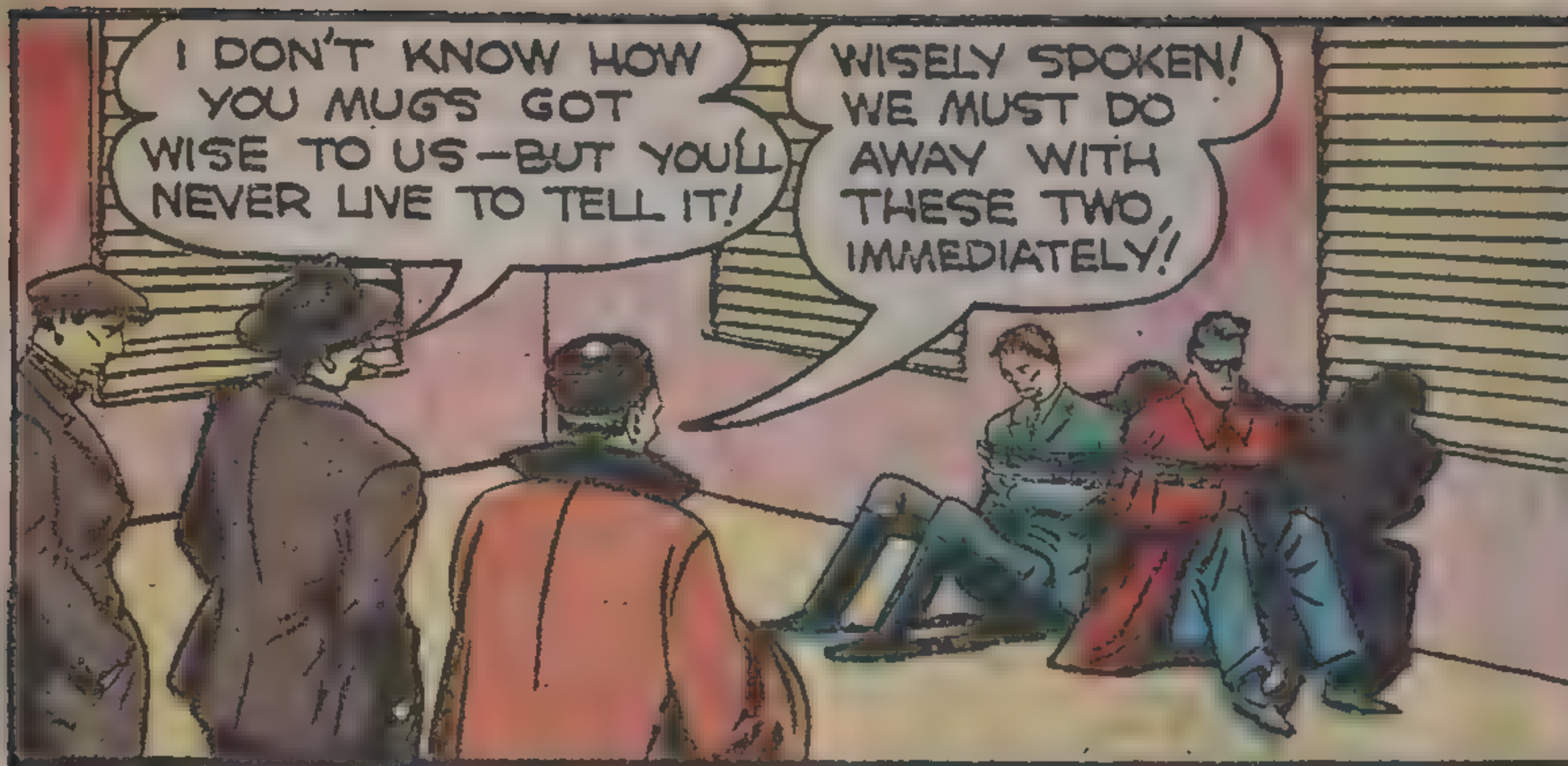










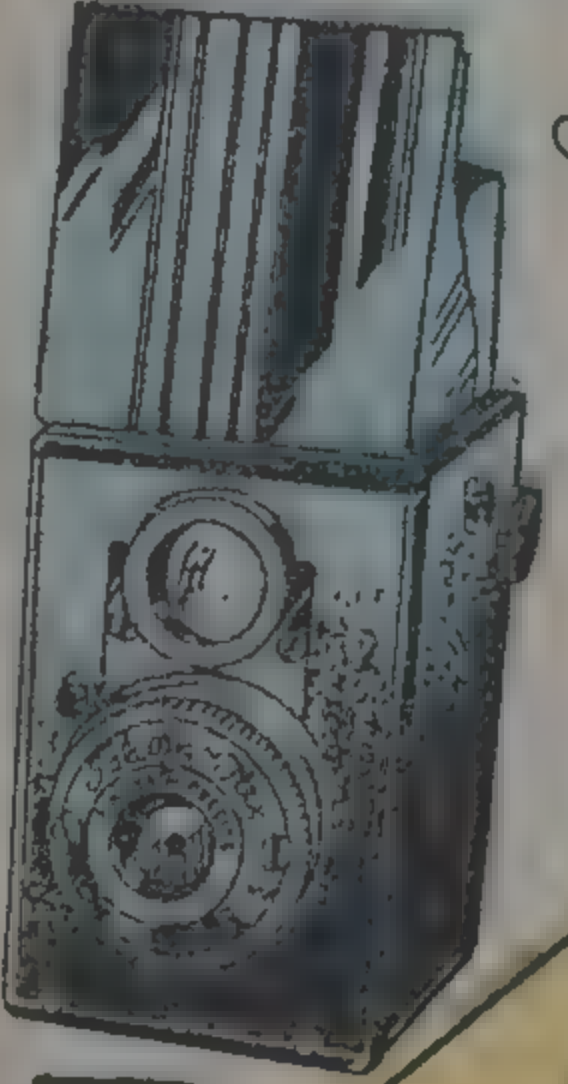
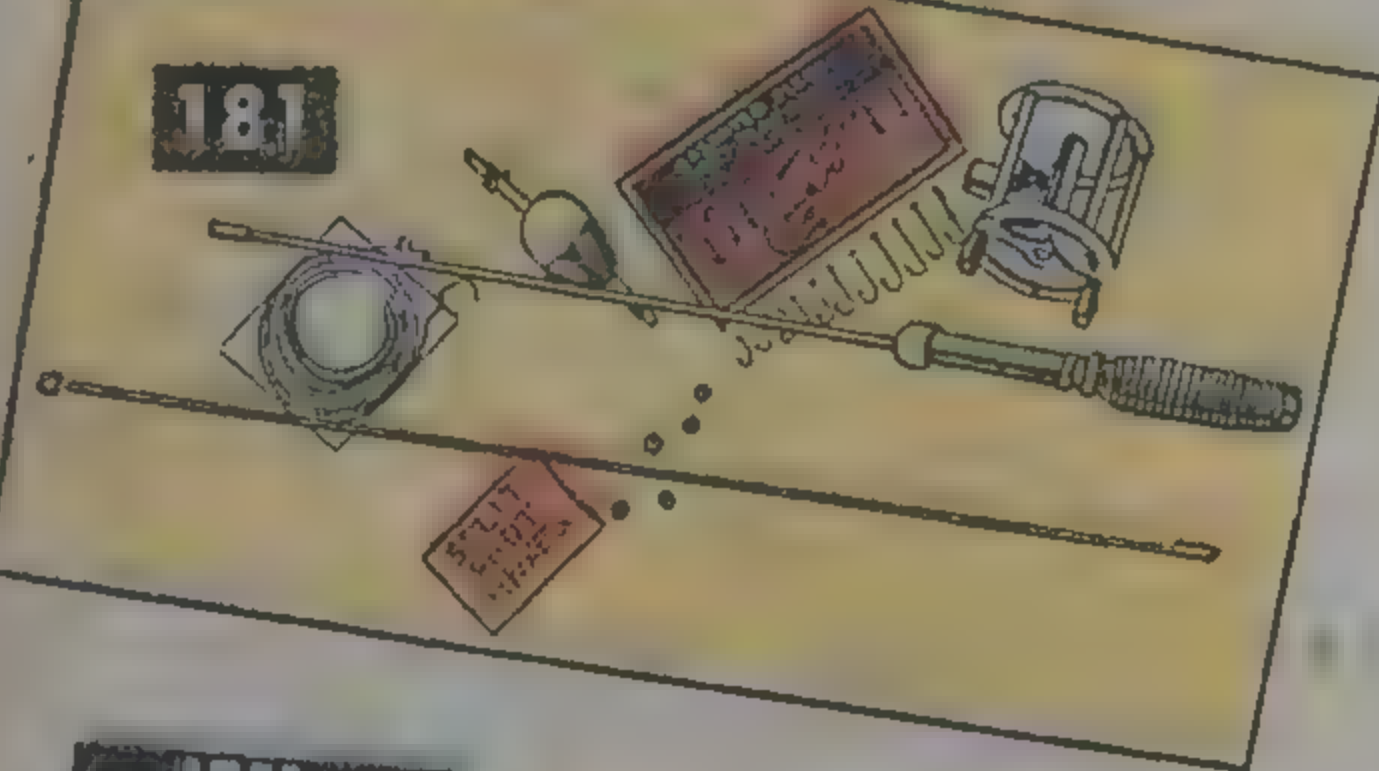


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151	Full-size Indian Blanket	600	1.00 & 50
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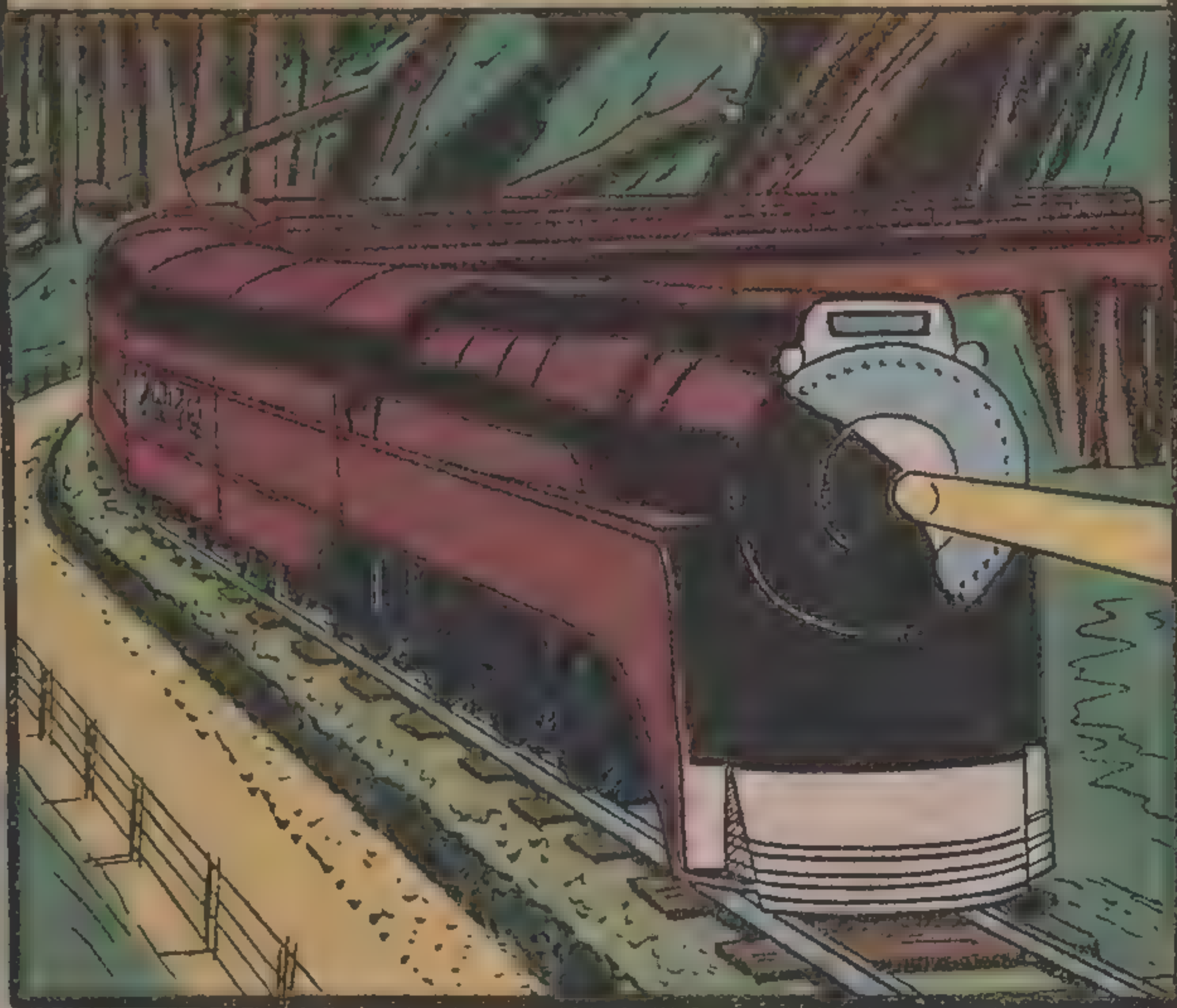
INSIDE THE LOCOMOTIVE CABIN -

THAT'S FUNNY THAT SIGNAL SHOULD BE GREEN!

BETTER STOP!



LOWLY THE GREAT TRAIN BRAKES TO A HALT...



THE ENGINEER INVESTIGATES...

I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT - THE TELEGRAPHER SHOULD -



THE TELEGRAPHER - DEAD! HE MUST HAVE MET HIS DEATH PROTECTING THE RAILROAD!



A TELEGRAPHER ON THE TRAIN WIRES AHEAD FOR THE POLICE -

ASK FOR SPEED SAUNDERS. HE'S GOOD AT CLEARING UP THIS SORT OF CASE...

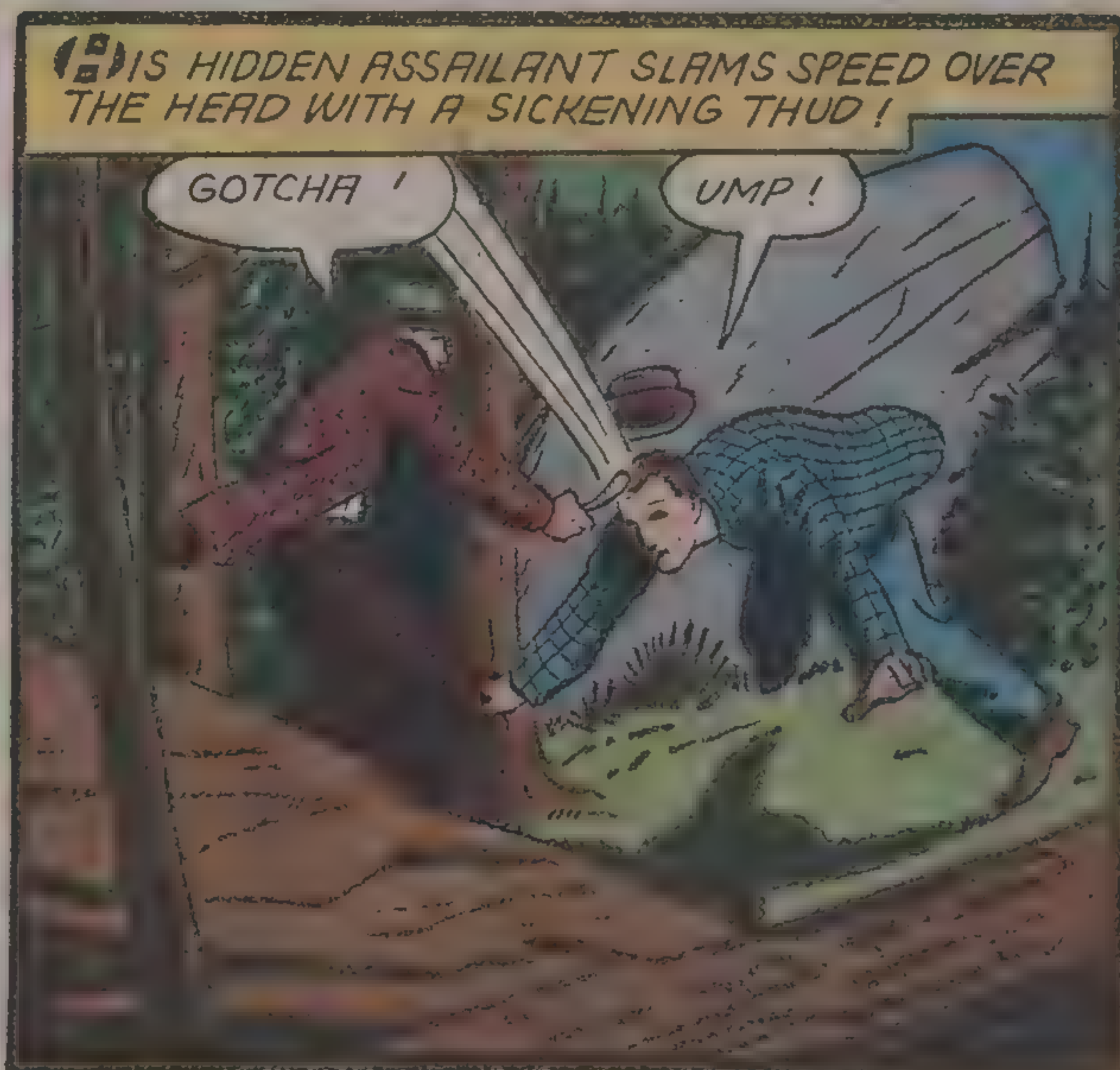
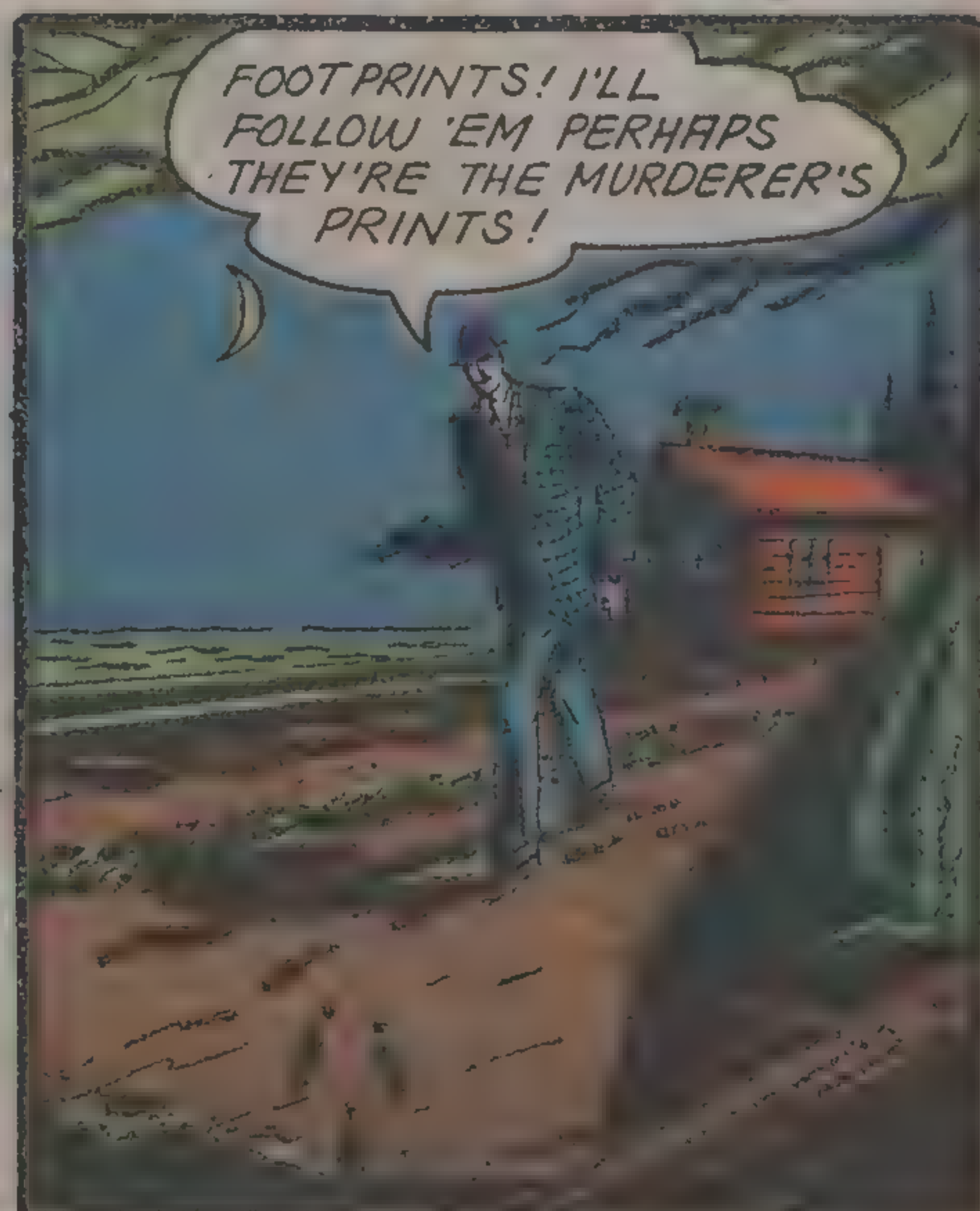
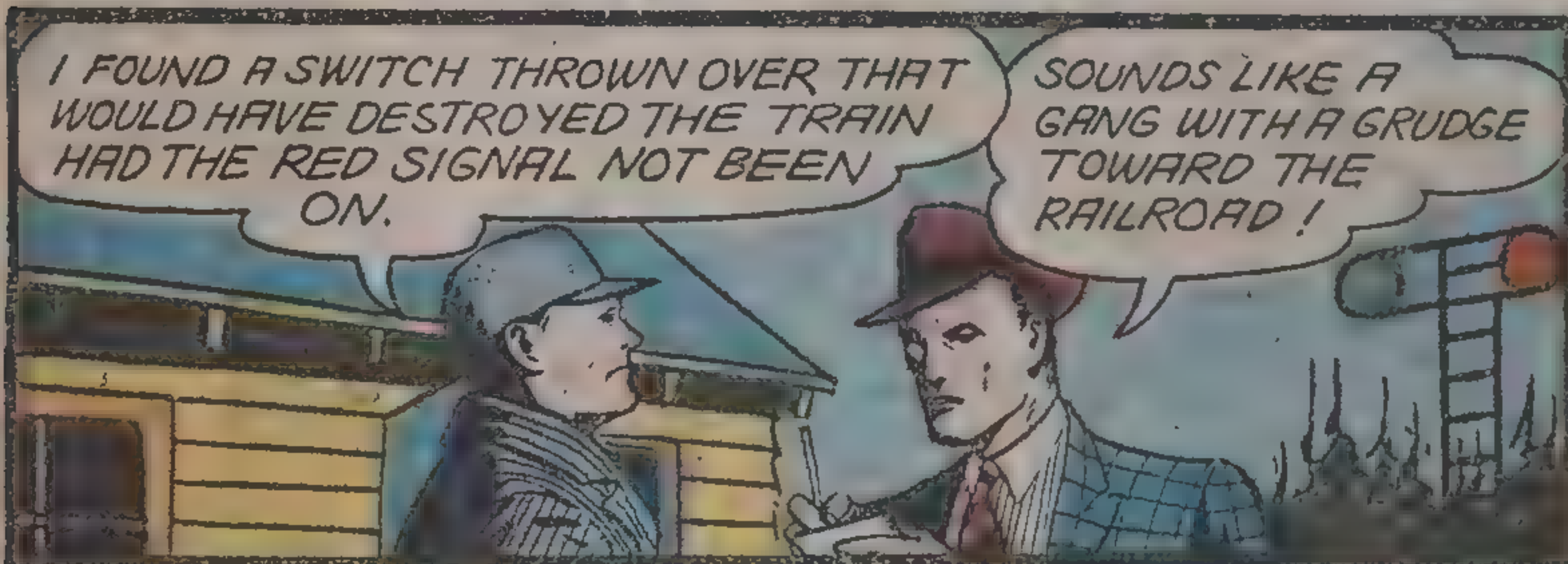
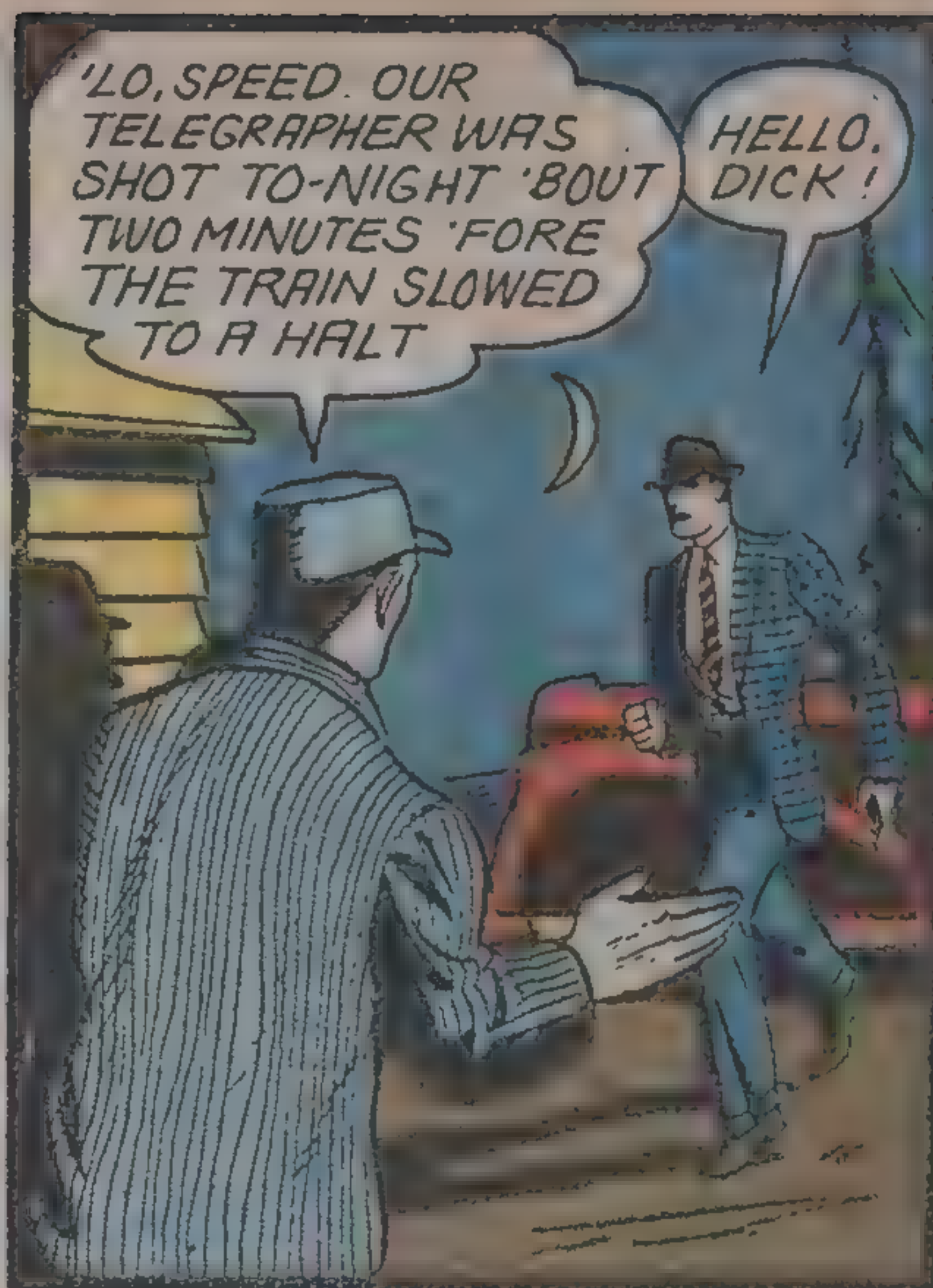


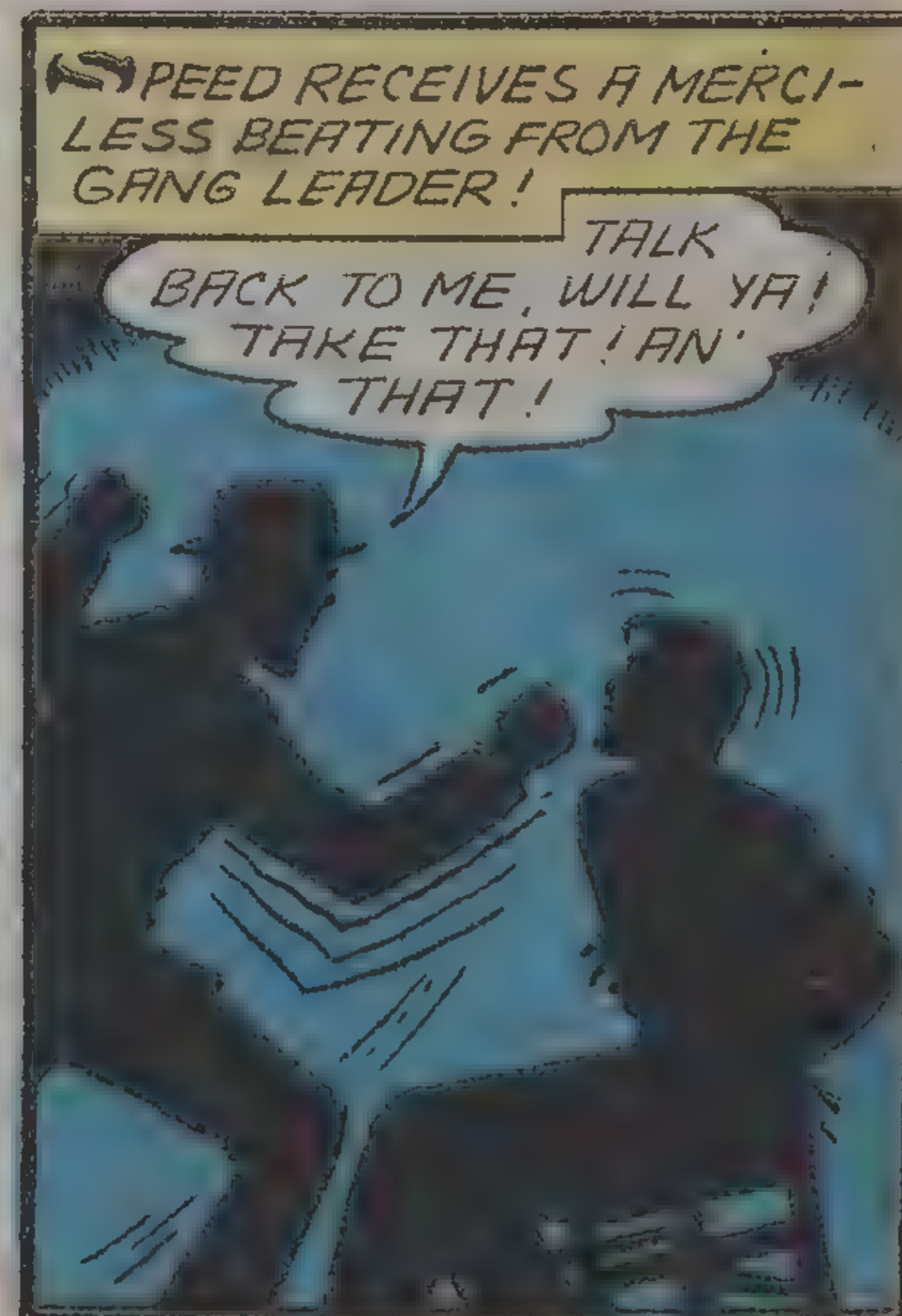
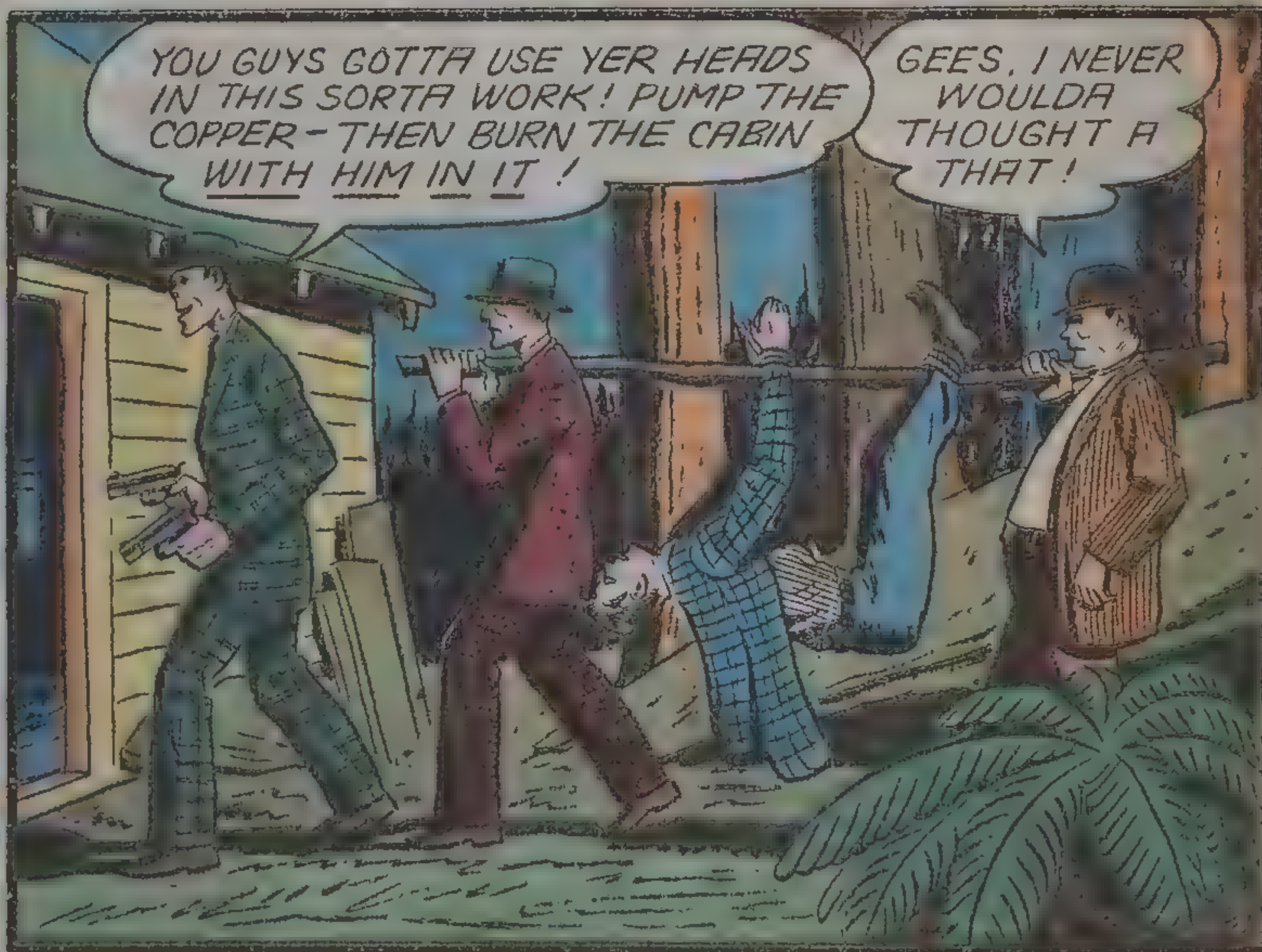
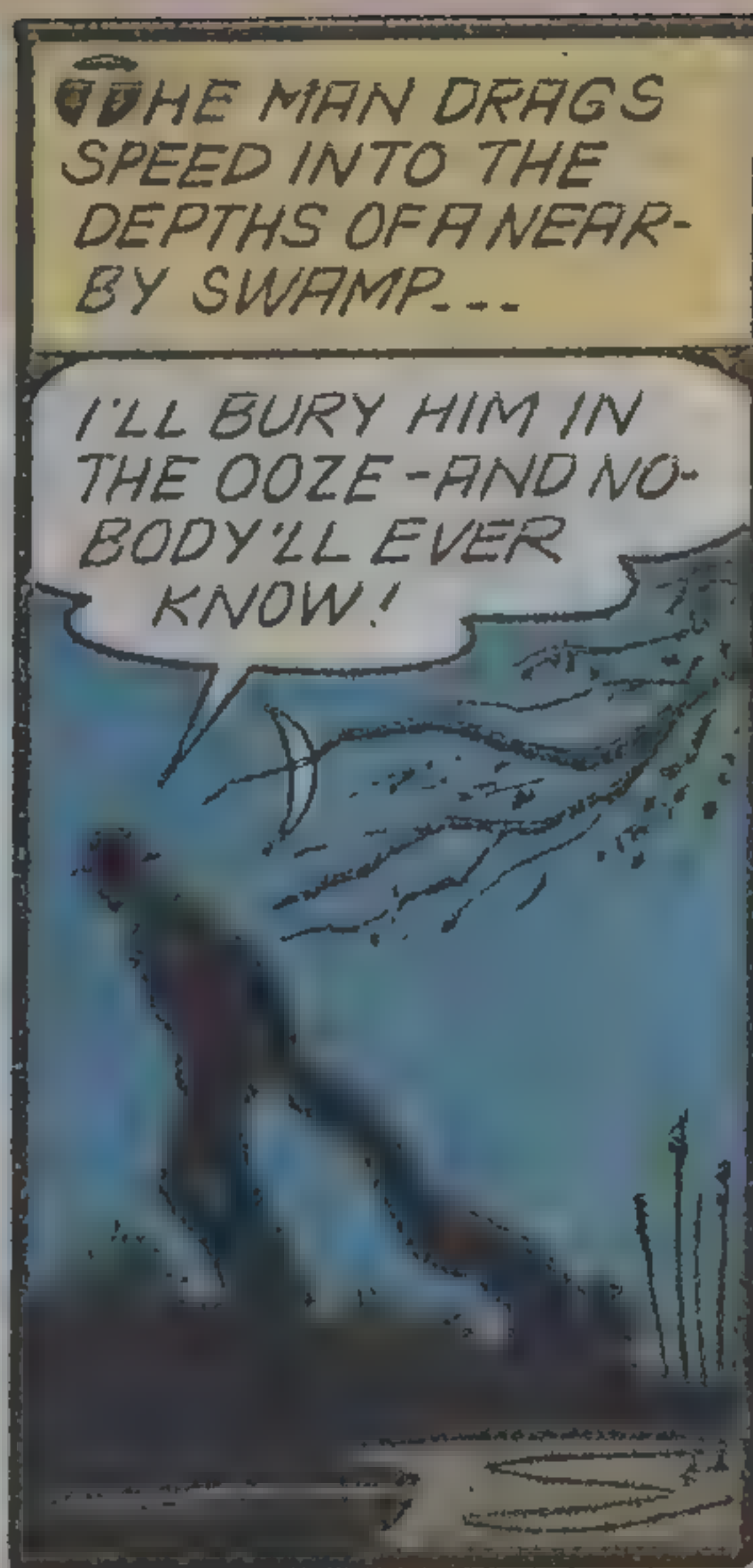
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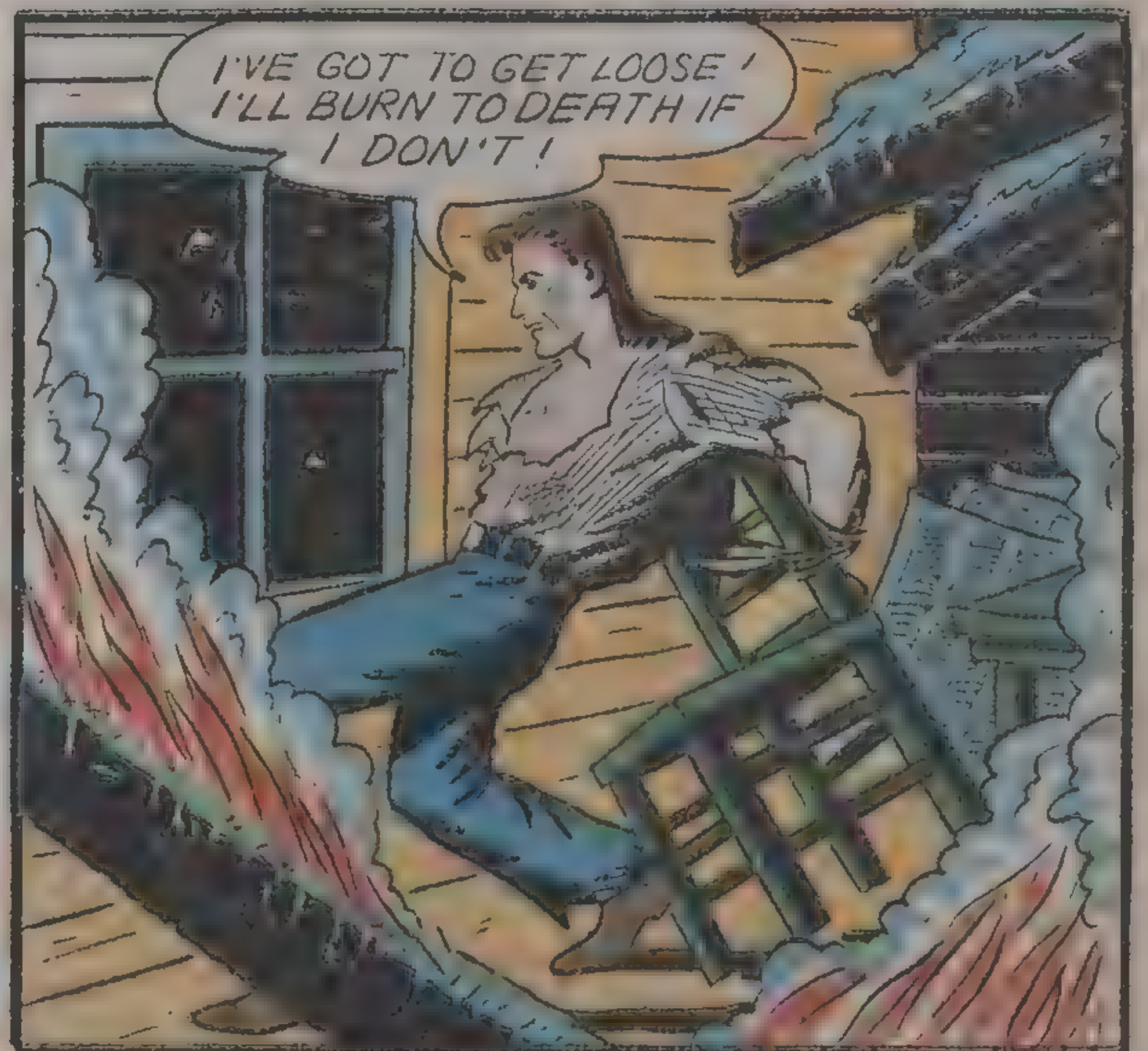
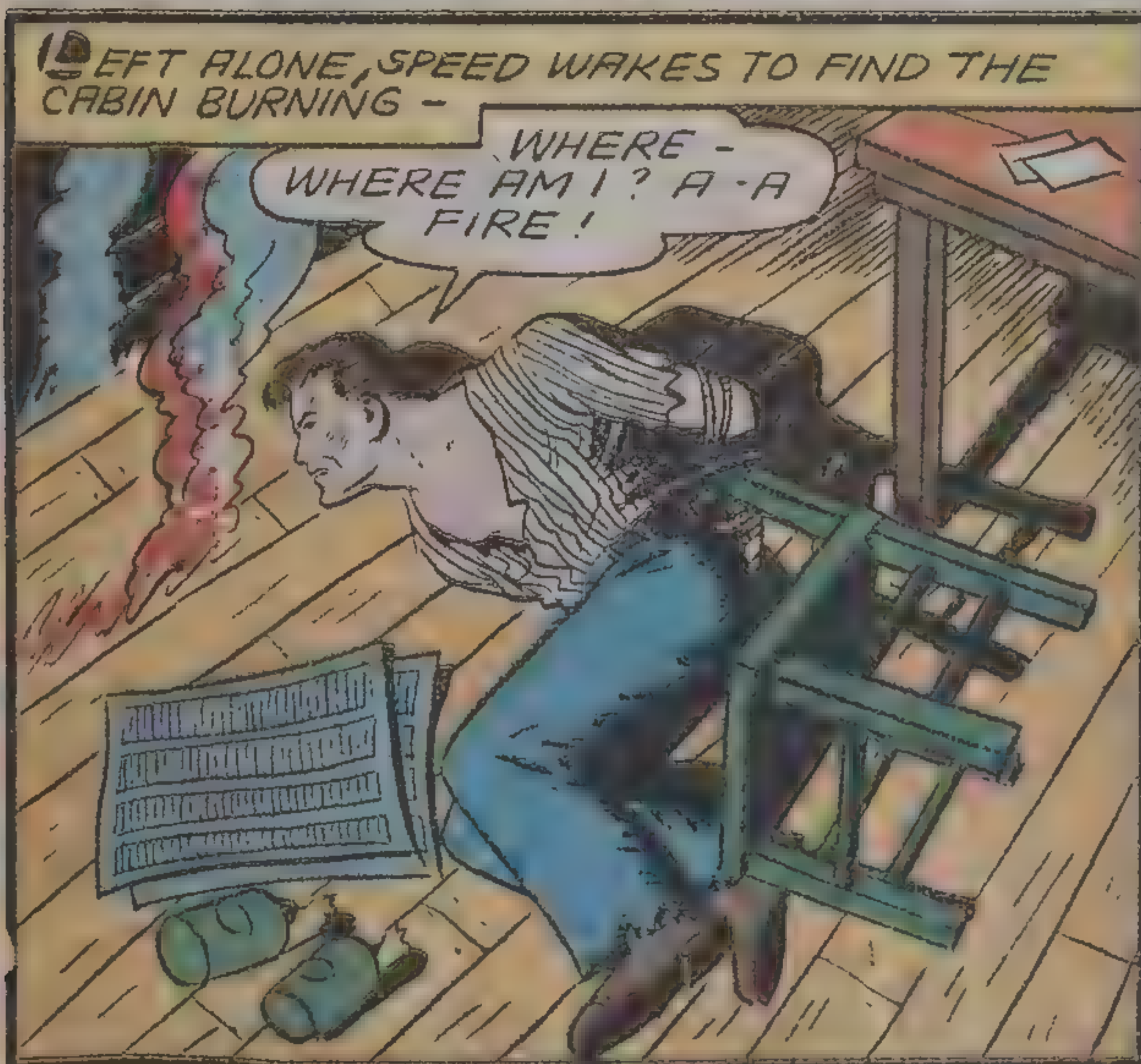
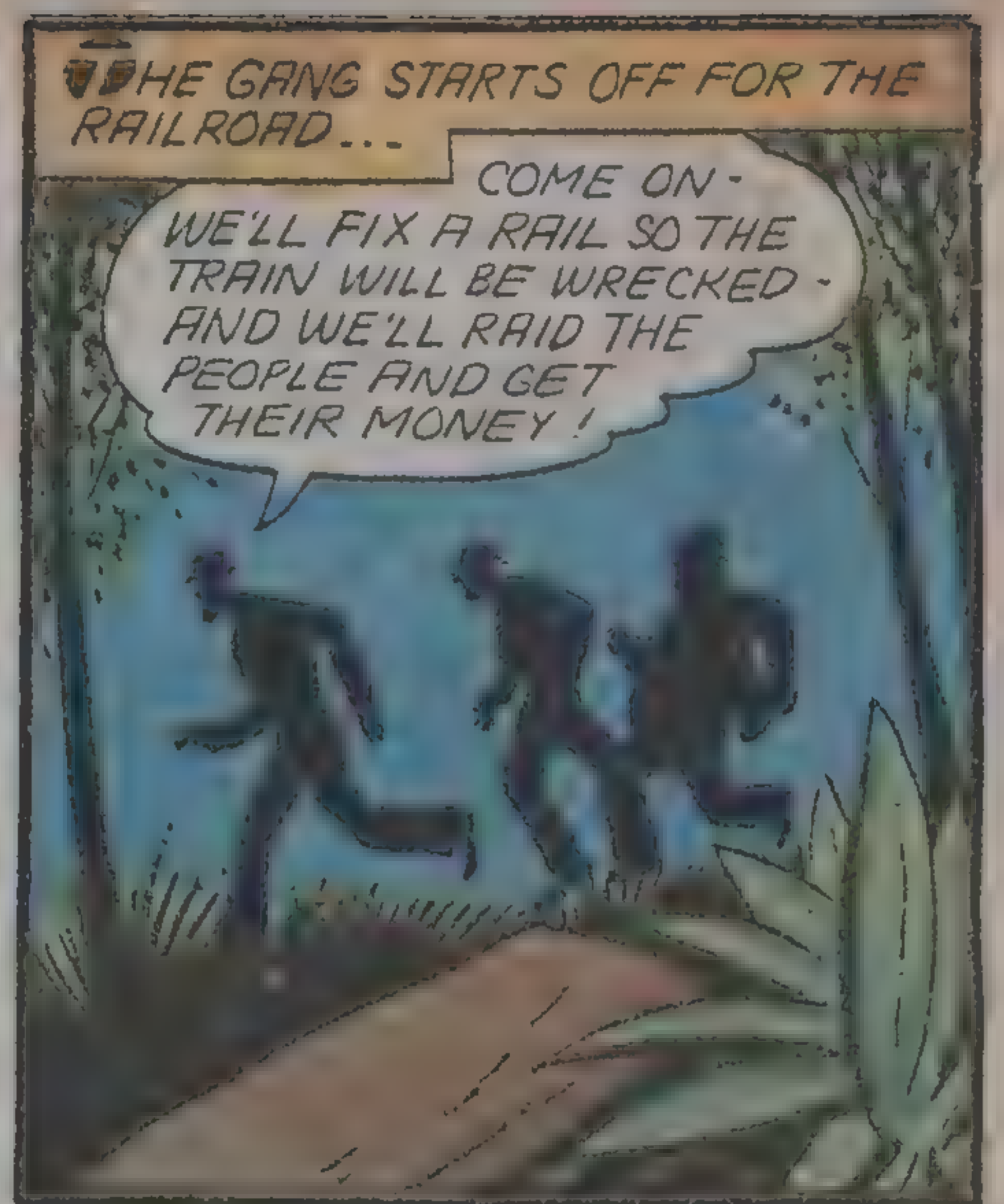
CALL FOR YOU, SPEED. TELEGRAPHER NEAR JACKSON FOUND MURDERED! BETTER BURN THE ROADWAYS THERE!

I'LL GET OUT THERE AT ONCE!



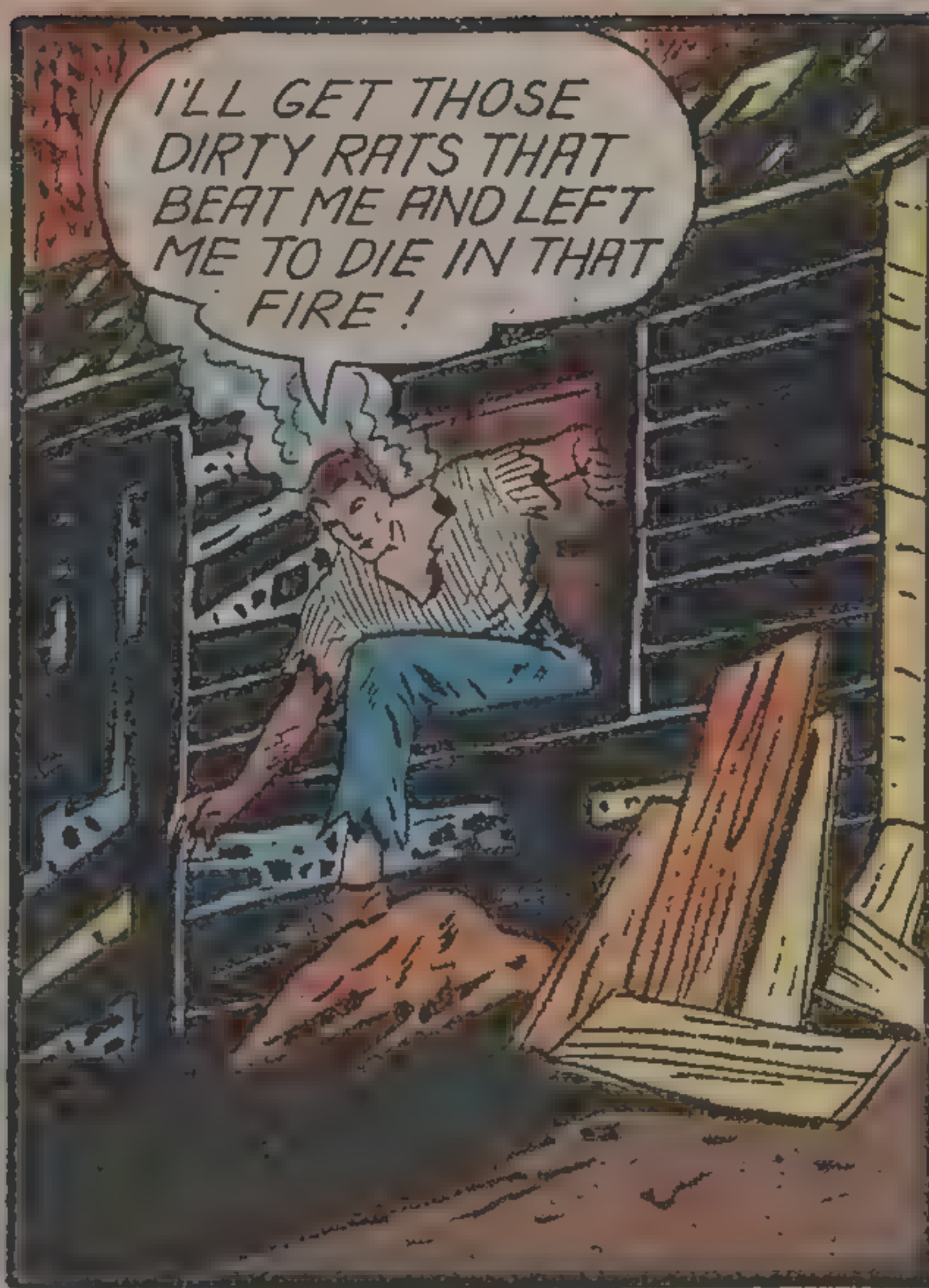




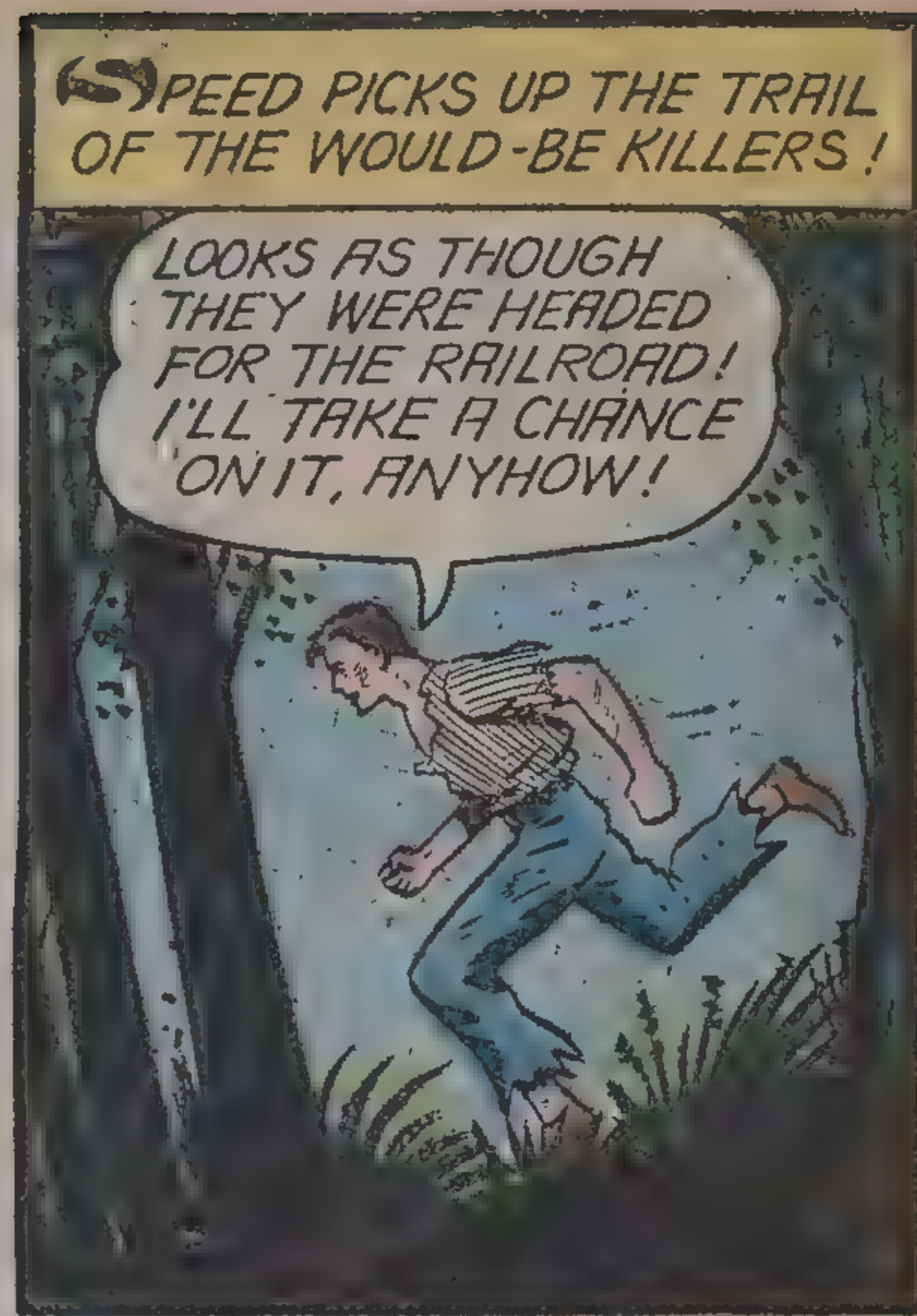




I MUST BREAK THAT WINDOW TO GET AWAY. THE FLAMES HAVE ME BEATEN, OTHERWISE !!



I'LL GET THOSE DIRTY RATS THAT BEAT ME AND LEFT ME TO DIE IN THAT FIRE !

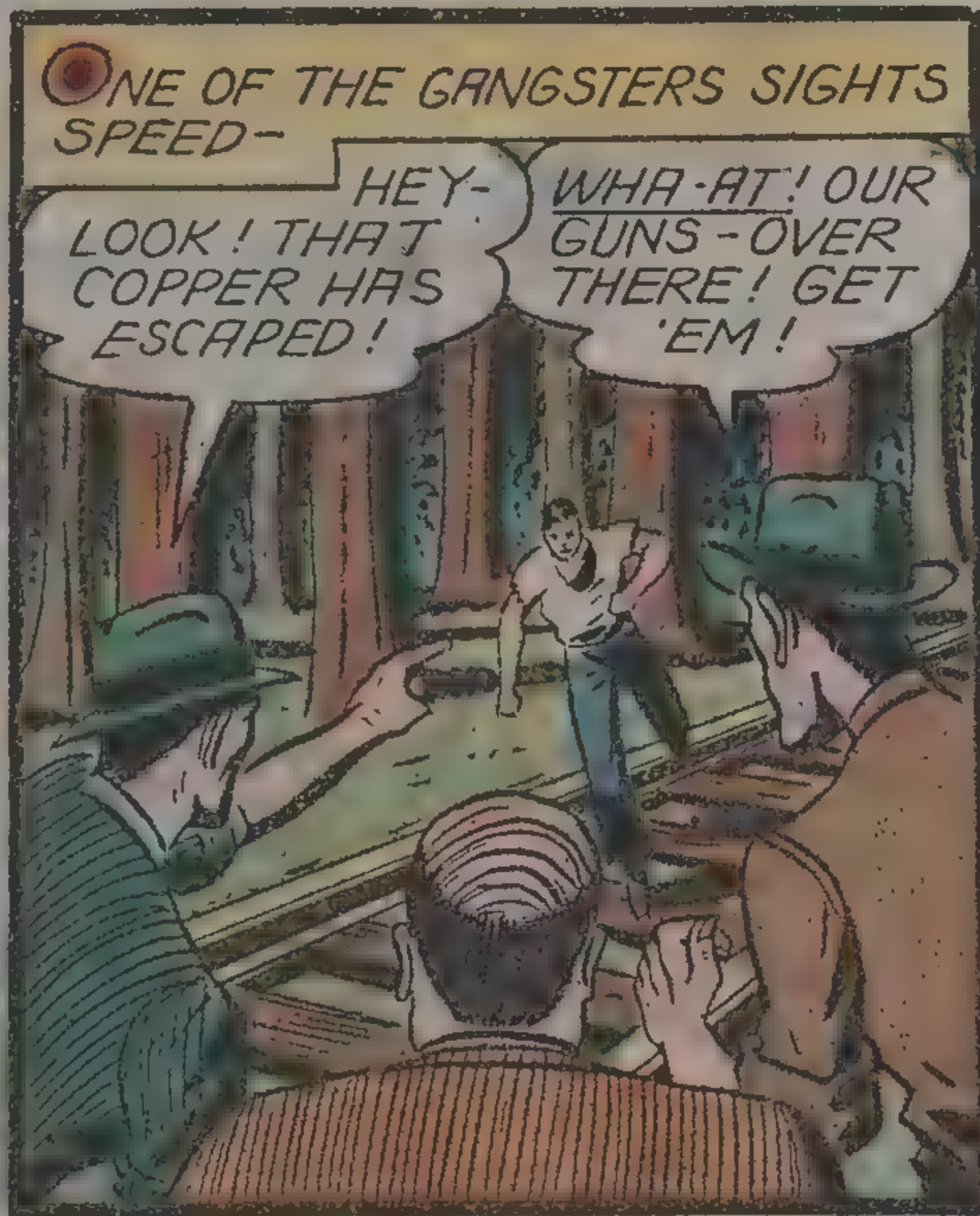


SPEED PICKS UP THE TRAIL OF THE WOULD-BE KILLERS !

LOOKS AS THOUGH THEY WERE HEADED FOR THE RAILROAD ! I'LL TAKE A CHANCE ON IT, ANYHOW !



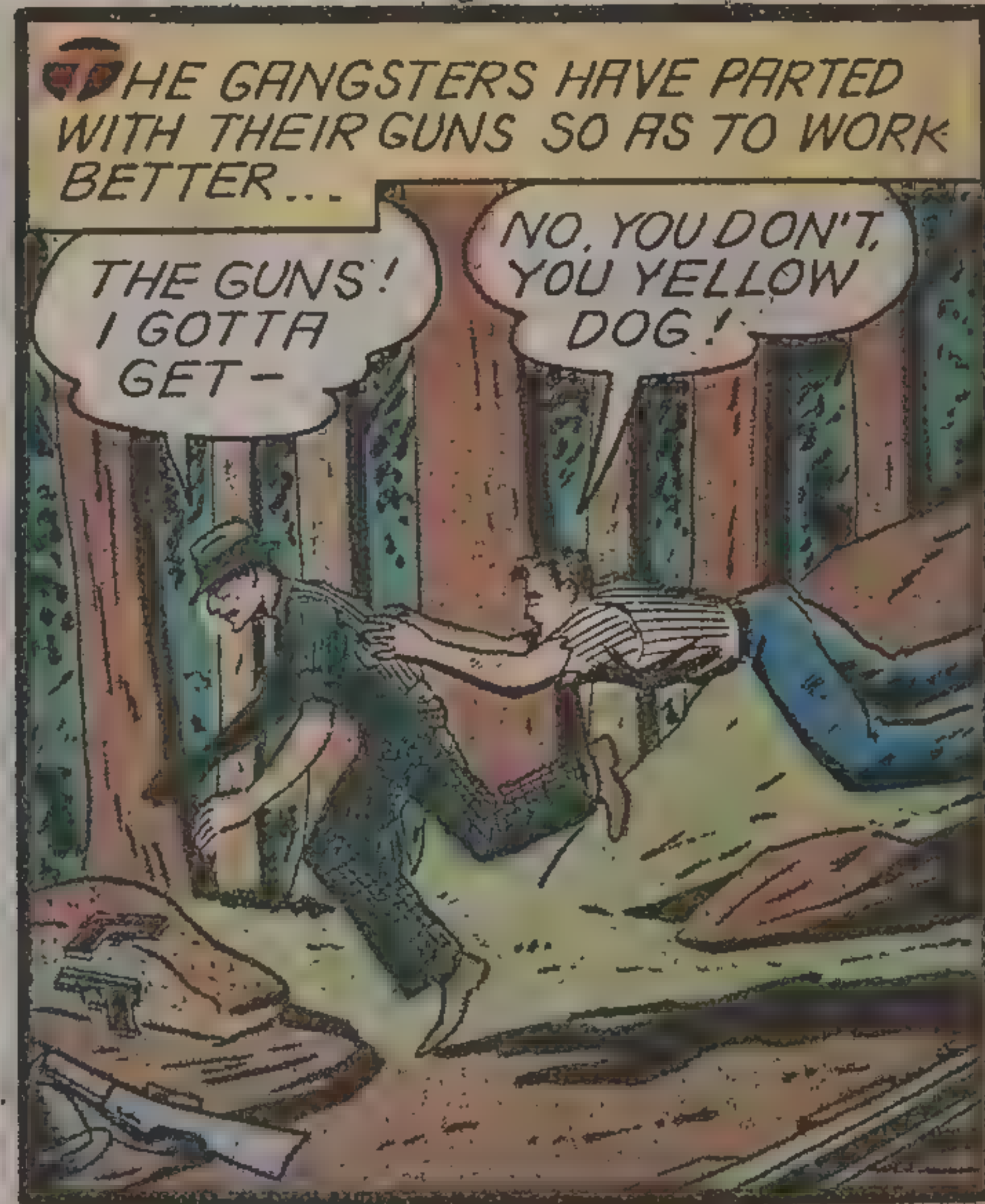
THERE THEY ARE-- AND THEY'RE GOING TO BREAK THE RAIL SO AS TO THROW THE TRAIN OFF THE TRACK !



ONE OF THE GANGSTERS SIGHS SPEED--

HEY- LOOK ! THAT COPPER HAS ESCAPED !

WHA-AT ! OUR GUNS - OVER THERE ! GET 'EM !



THE GANGSTERS HAVE PARTED WITH THEIR GUNS SO AS TO WORK BETTER...

THE GUNS ! I GOTTA GET -

NO, YOU DON'T, YOU YELLOW DOG !



THIS IS FOR YOU, WHO WOULD HAVE DROWNED ME !



ANYDAY I COULDN'T BEAT A COUPLE OF CHERP RATS LIKE YOU -

GET THOSE GUNS !



THEFT AT THE FAIR

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A cartoon illustration of three men. On the left, a man in a suit and hat. In the center, a man in a red shirt and blue overalls holding a brown shoe. On the right, a man in a blue shirt and blue overalls looking at the shoe.

Anson shivered with delight. It was wonderful to work with a detective! But was he a detective? He must be. If he were the thief, he'd leave himself, at once! They went out into the main hall, where an excited throng of visitors and workmen were

Baby ^{CURTISS} 5¢ Ruth



**WHAT
IS THE
BRIGHTEST
STAR
?**

IS RICH
IN PURE
DEXTROSE
THE SUGAR
YOUR BODY USES
DIRECTLY
FOR ENERGY



SIRIUS
THE
DOG STAR

CANDY IS 'DELICIOUS' FOOD ... ENJOY SOME EVERY DAY

being lined up by the attendants. The search was very thorough. The men were examined separately from the women, and Anson himself superintended the search among the workers.

Presently Ellerton wandered over to help him. The three of them were standing together. Ellerton was snapping his cigarette lighter. Anson and Stockton scratching matches across their rough overalls.

Ellerton smiled wryly.

"Have you gentlemen ever studied psychology? But, of course not. However, as we all lighted our pipe and cigarettes, the manner in which we lighted them told me something about each. You and Stockton are workingmen; Anson. You strike matches on your coarsely fibered overalls. I do not. As you see, I carry a lighter. Too, if I had struck a match on the sole of my shoe, you would know me as a non-worker, for men long used to rough working clothes scratch matches on their trousers."

Anson listened soberly. This was advice from a detective about the true value of observation. He and Stockton were workers, yes. They scratched matches on their overalls. If they scratched them on their shoes—

Anson scowled. He rubbed his red head dubiously, and looked at Stockton, who was being searched by an attendant. Stockton was grinning securely. When the attendant finished his search, Stockton began to redress. Anson pondered. Stockton usually

scratched a match on the sole of his shoe, when unaware anyone was looking. Therefore, he was not what he appeared to be, a worker. But a moment ago he had scratched a match on his overalls! Why?

Anson was worried. Ellerton started to leave. Then—Anson acted.

"Stockton—you stole those jewels!" he said quietly.

Ellerton was beside Stockton in a moment, gun in hand. Stockton was sneering, but Anson moved forward stubbornly.

"Mr. Ellerton, you just said if a man scratched a match on his shoe, he isn't a working man. Stockton always used to scratch a match on his shoe. Just now he didn't! I—I think there's something about his shoe he doesn't want us to notice!"

In a moment Ellerton had Stockton's shoes in his hands. With lean, strong fingers he ripped the heels away.

Inside the plush lining of the false heels lay the Okoffsky emeralds!

"Observation," grinned Anson at the circle of photographers some hours later, "is a great thing!"

His eyes darted around the House of Jewels, missing nothing. For new orders had come through from Fair Headquarters thirty minutes ago.

Tom Anson was now a detective!

THE END

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RARE COLLECTION OF INCA
INDIAN RELICS, SITS A STRANGE
CHARACTER

THAT MAN SOAMES
HAS LIED ABOUT
MY NOBLE RACE
LONG ENOUGH!
HE MUST
DIE!

CRAZED BY THINKING OF THE
SUPPOSED INSULTS TO HIS PEOPLE,
THE MAN PLOTS MURDER....

IT SHALL BE DONE
SO NONE SHALL
SUSPECT ME!
HE ARRIVES IN
A MOMENT...

MISTAIRE SOAMES?
MY MASTER, ATALA
D'ESTA, AWAITS YOU

HMPH! ABOUT
TIME YOU
ANSWERED!
I'VE BEEN
RINGING FOR
HOURS!

CAME IN RESPONSE TO
YOUR CALL--WANT TO
SELL THAT STATUE, EH?

IT IS TRUE
INCAN ART!
I MUST LET
IT GO FOR
MONEY

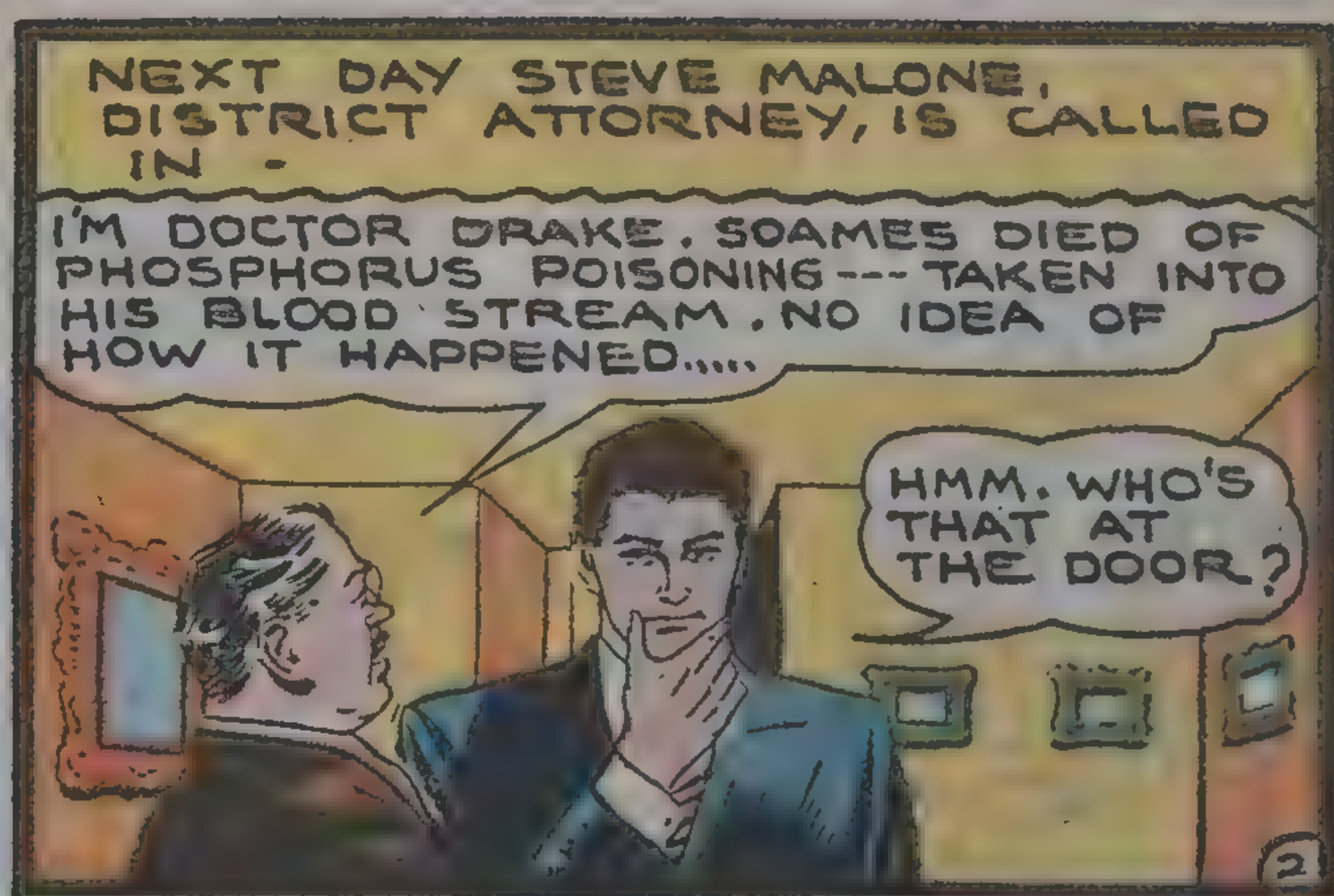
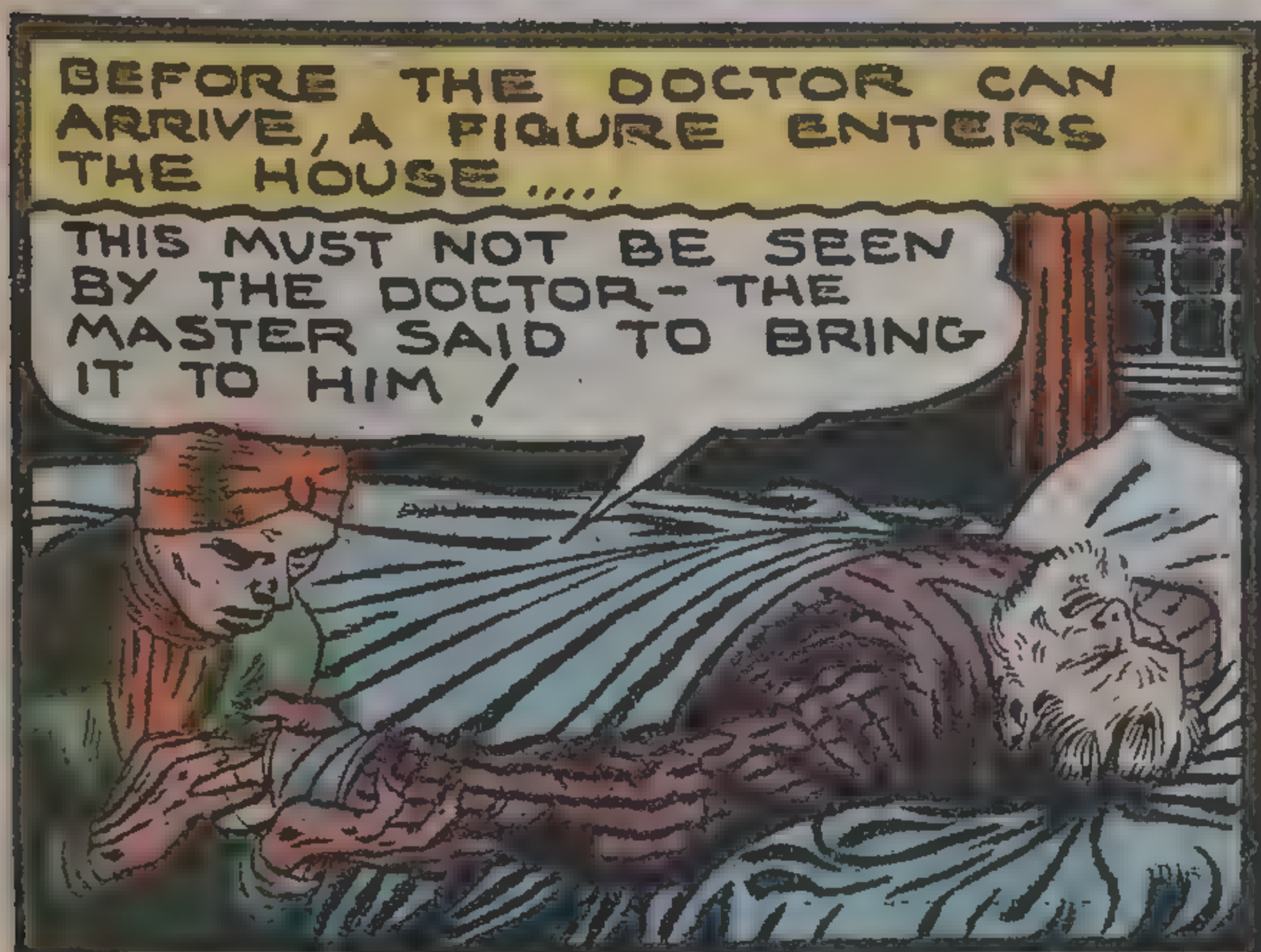
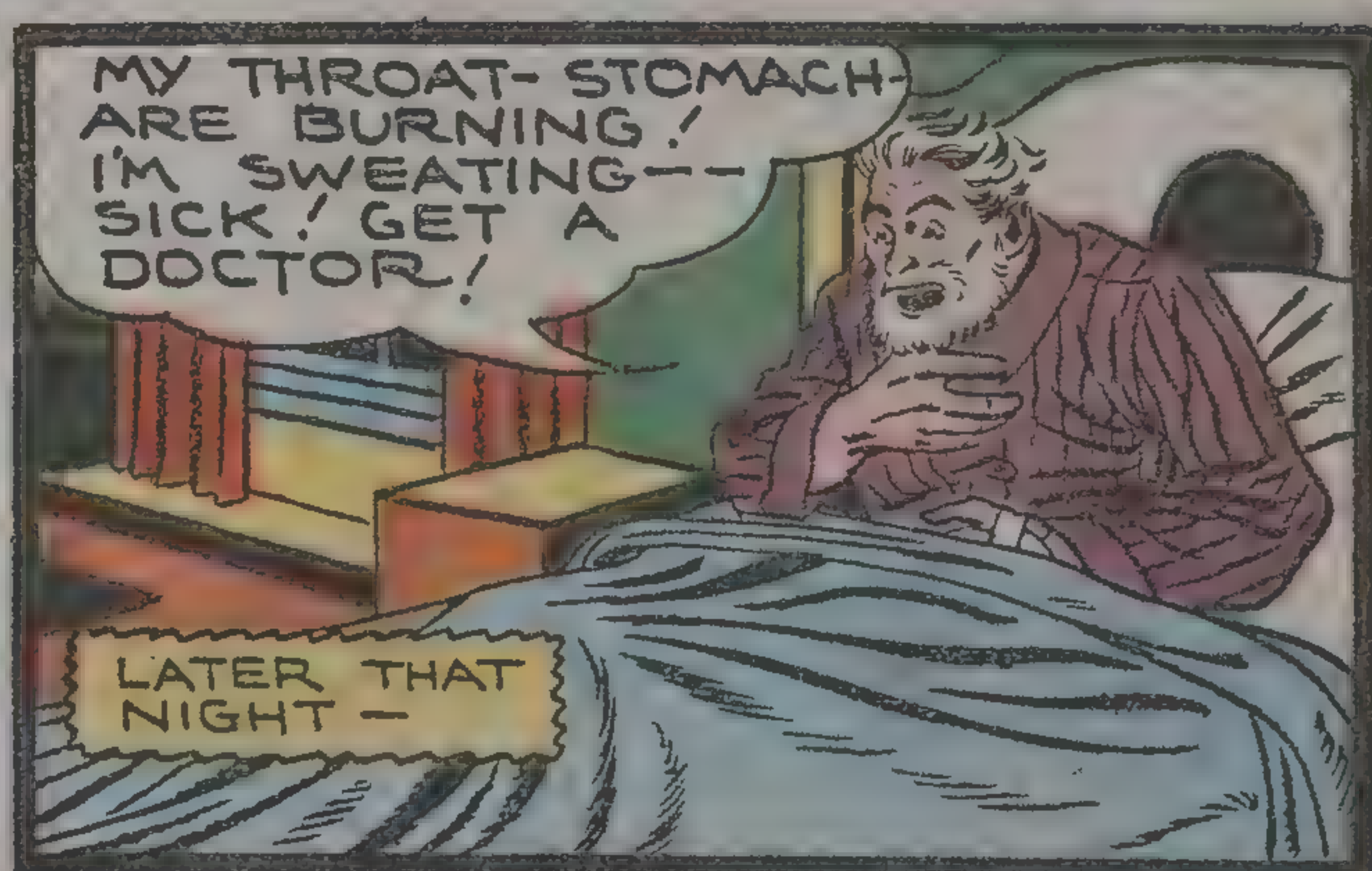
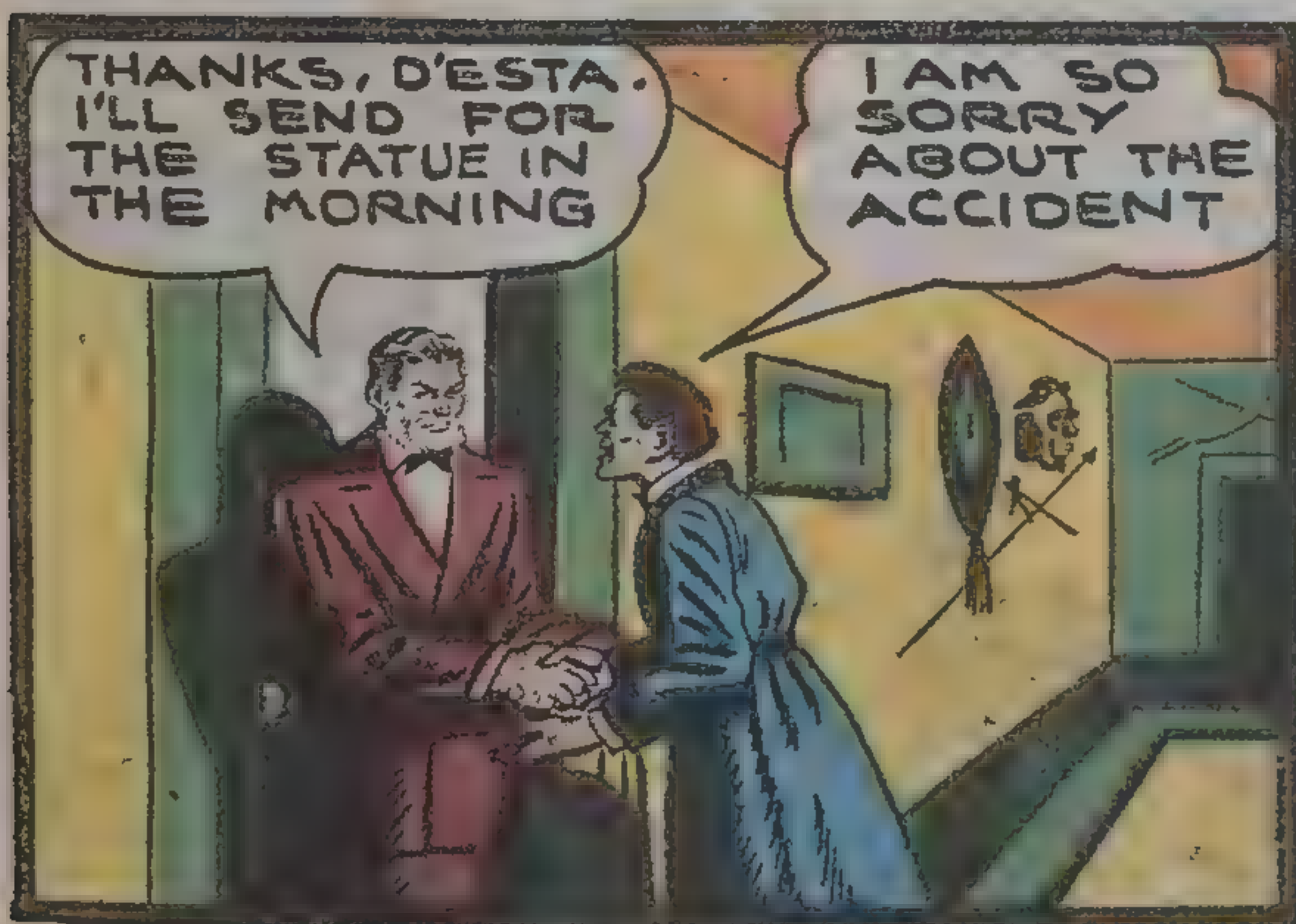
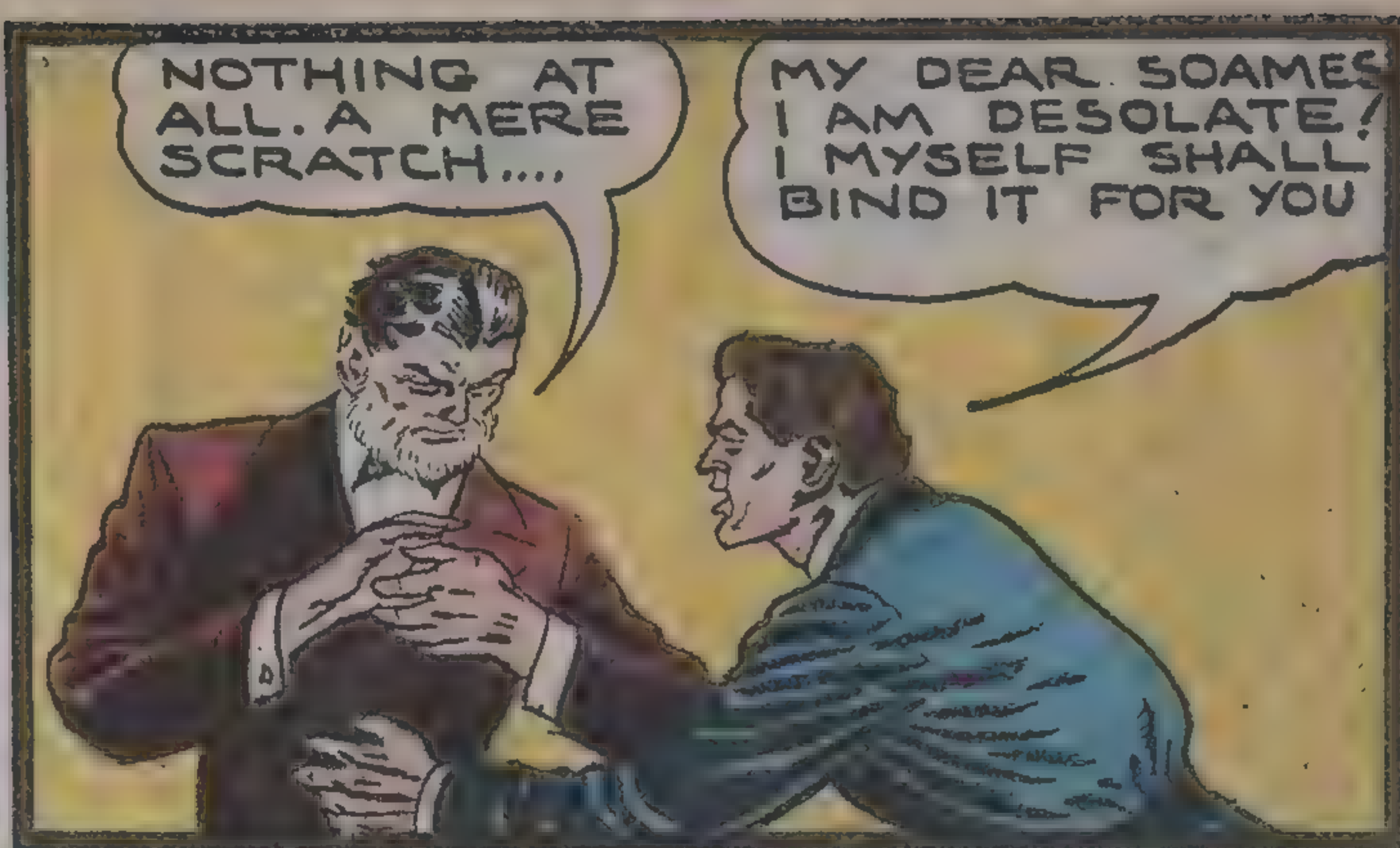
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MY CHECK?

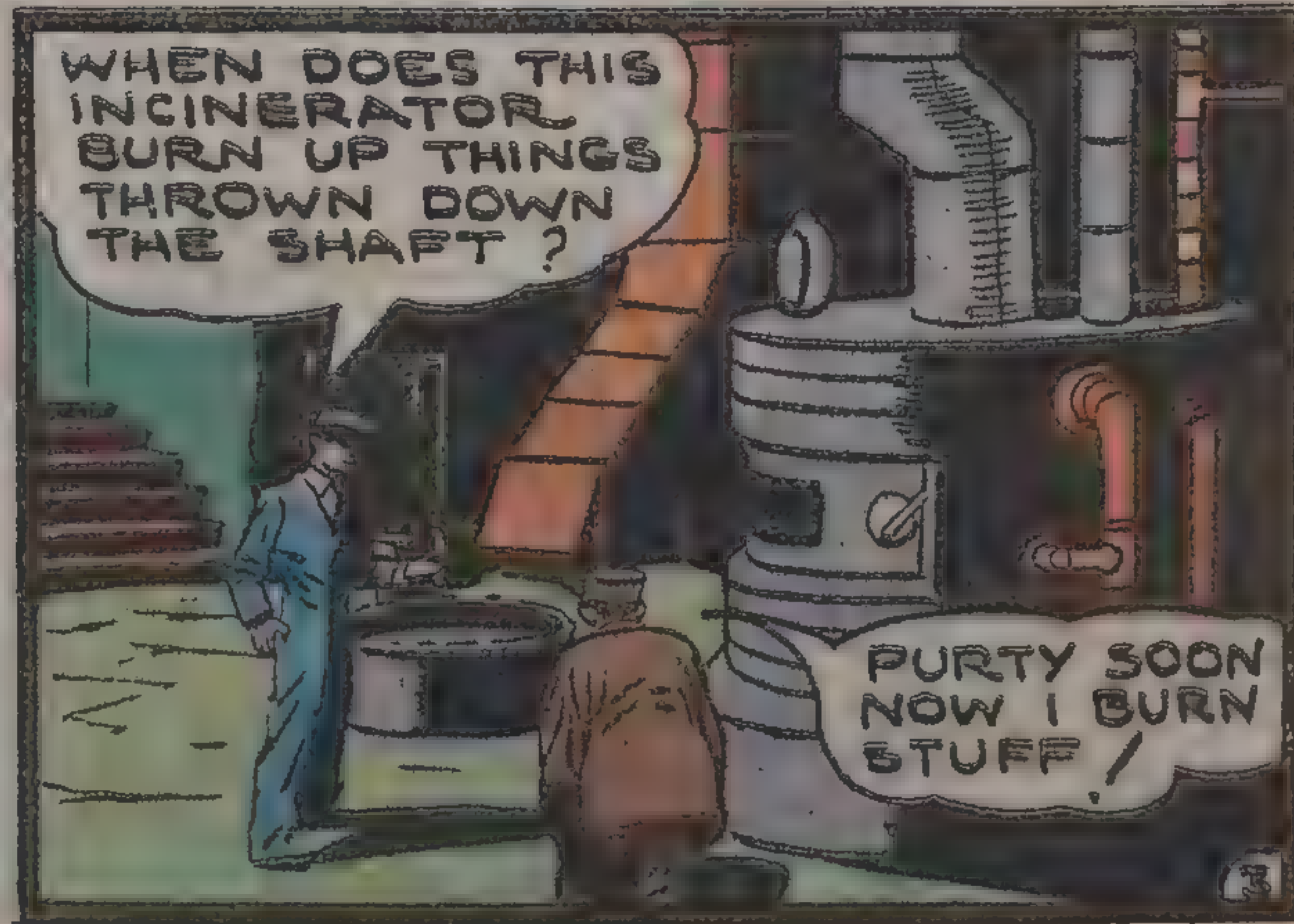
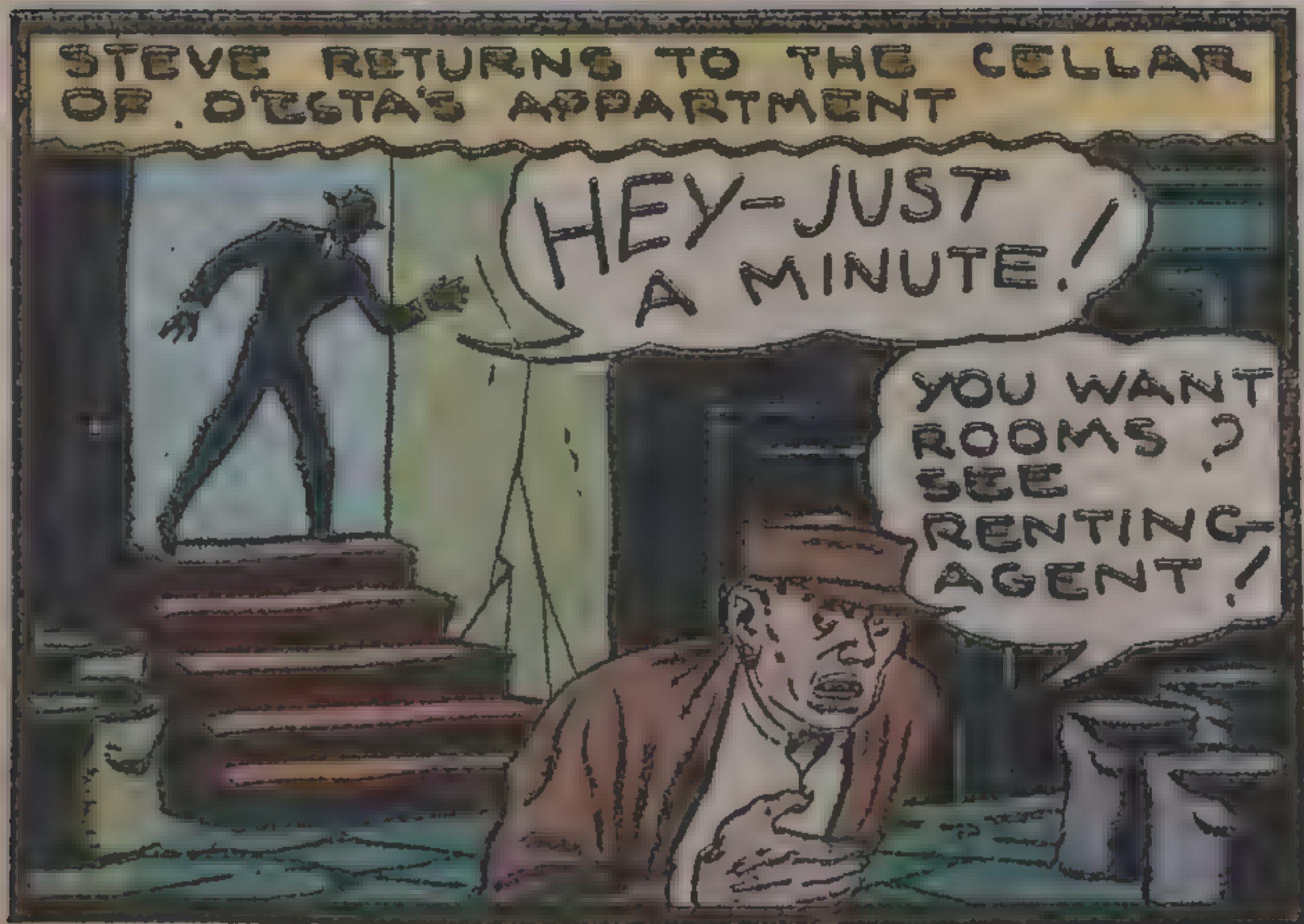
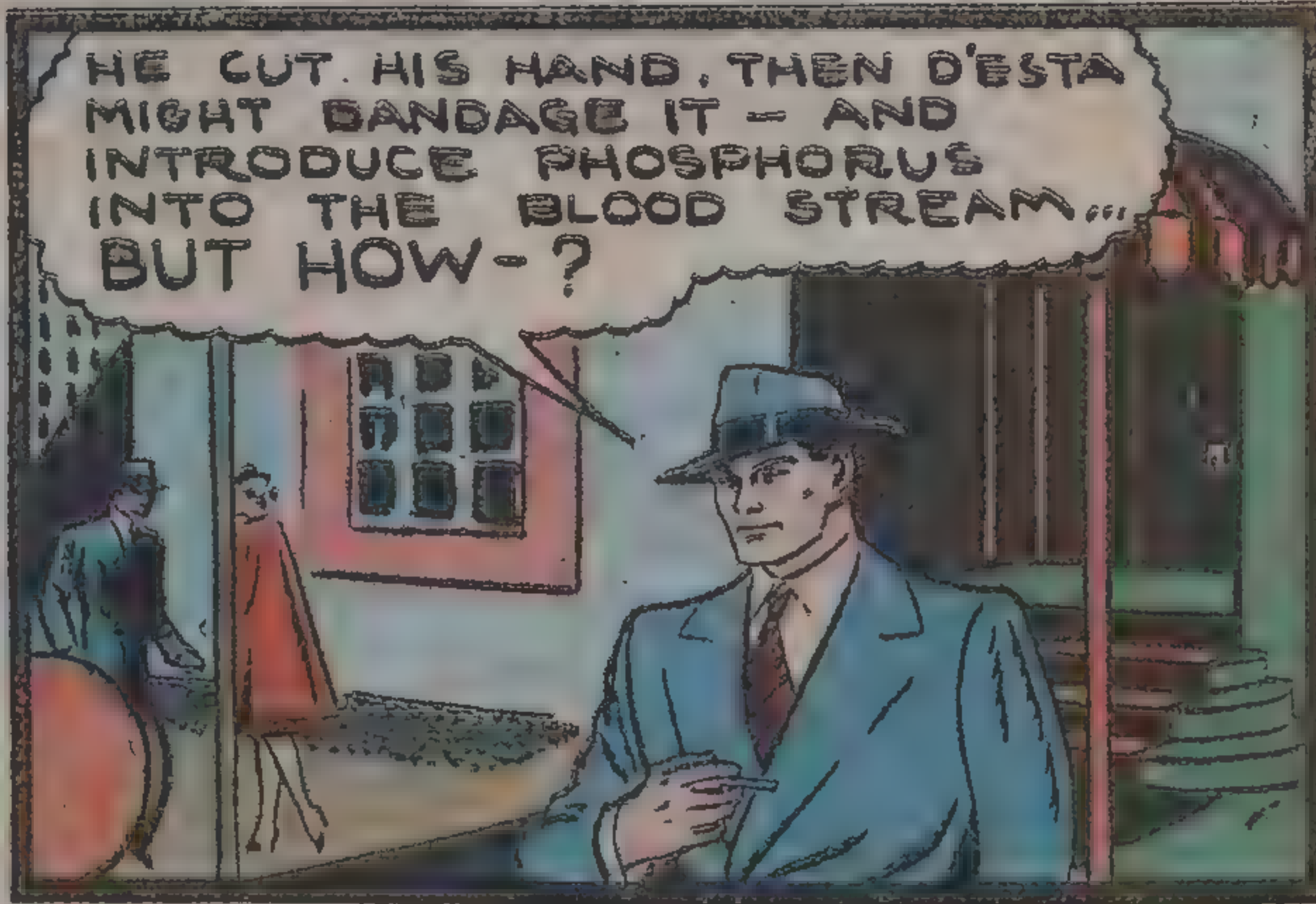
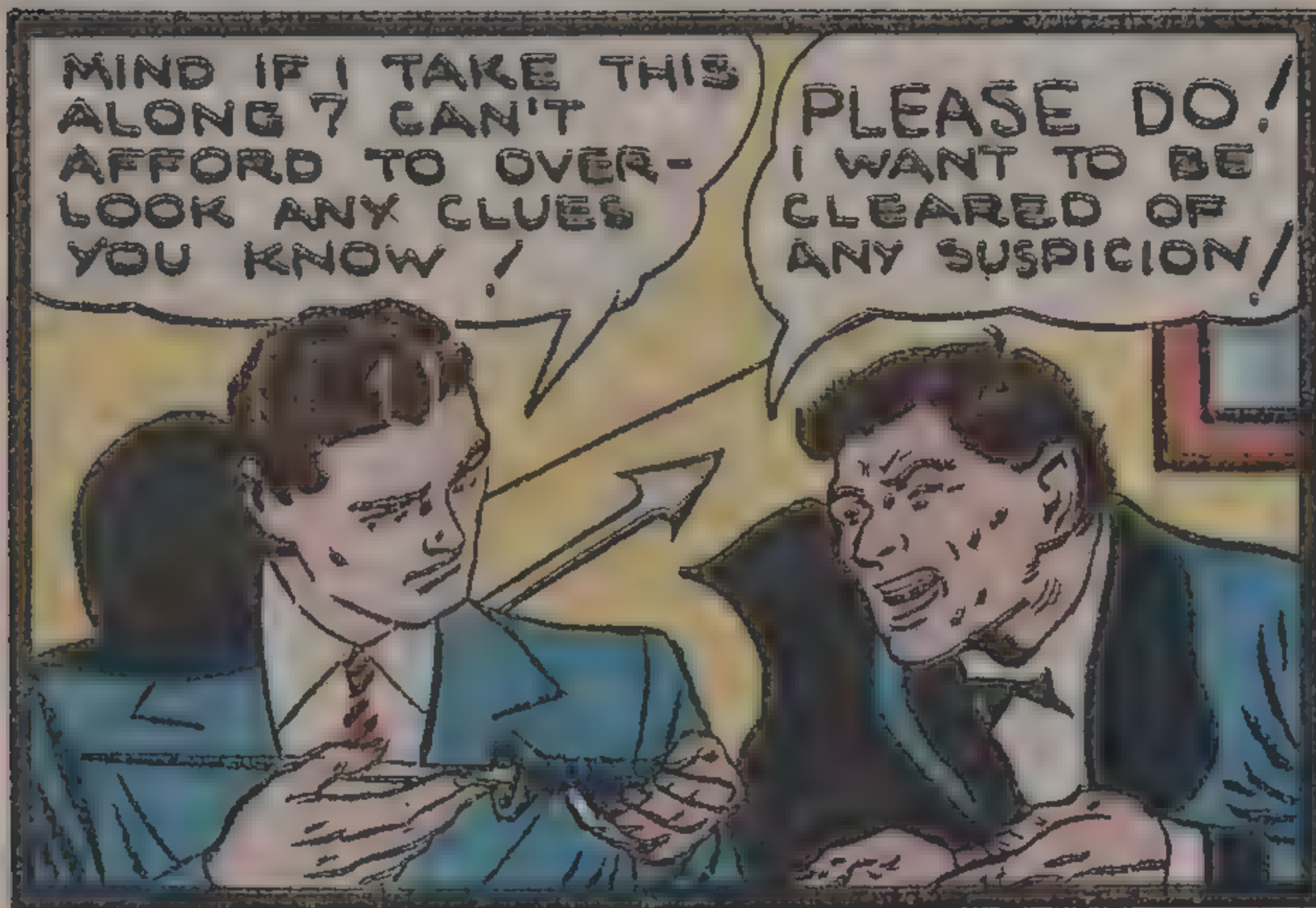
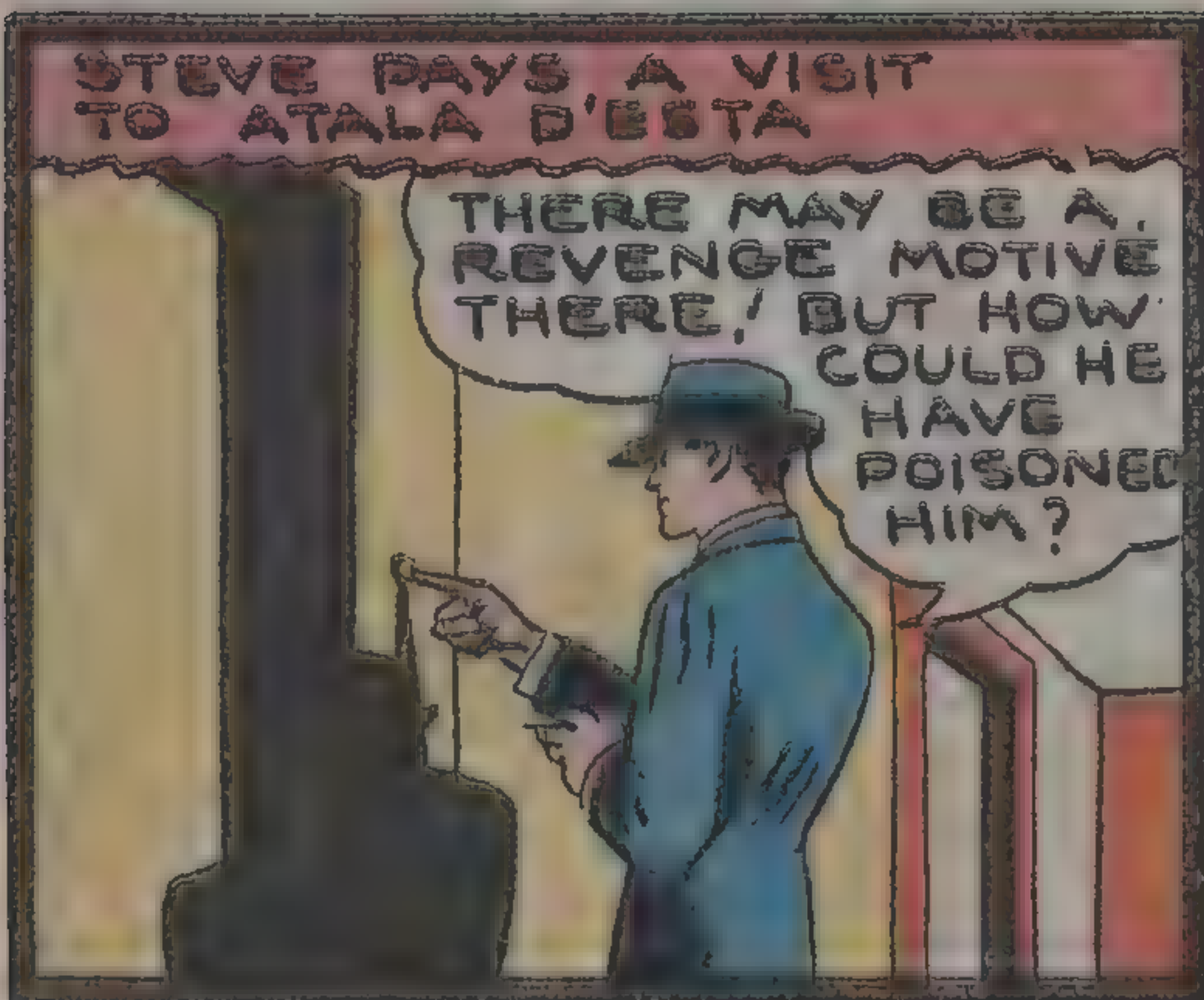
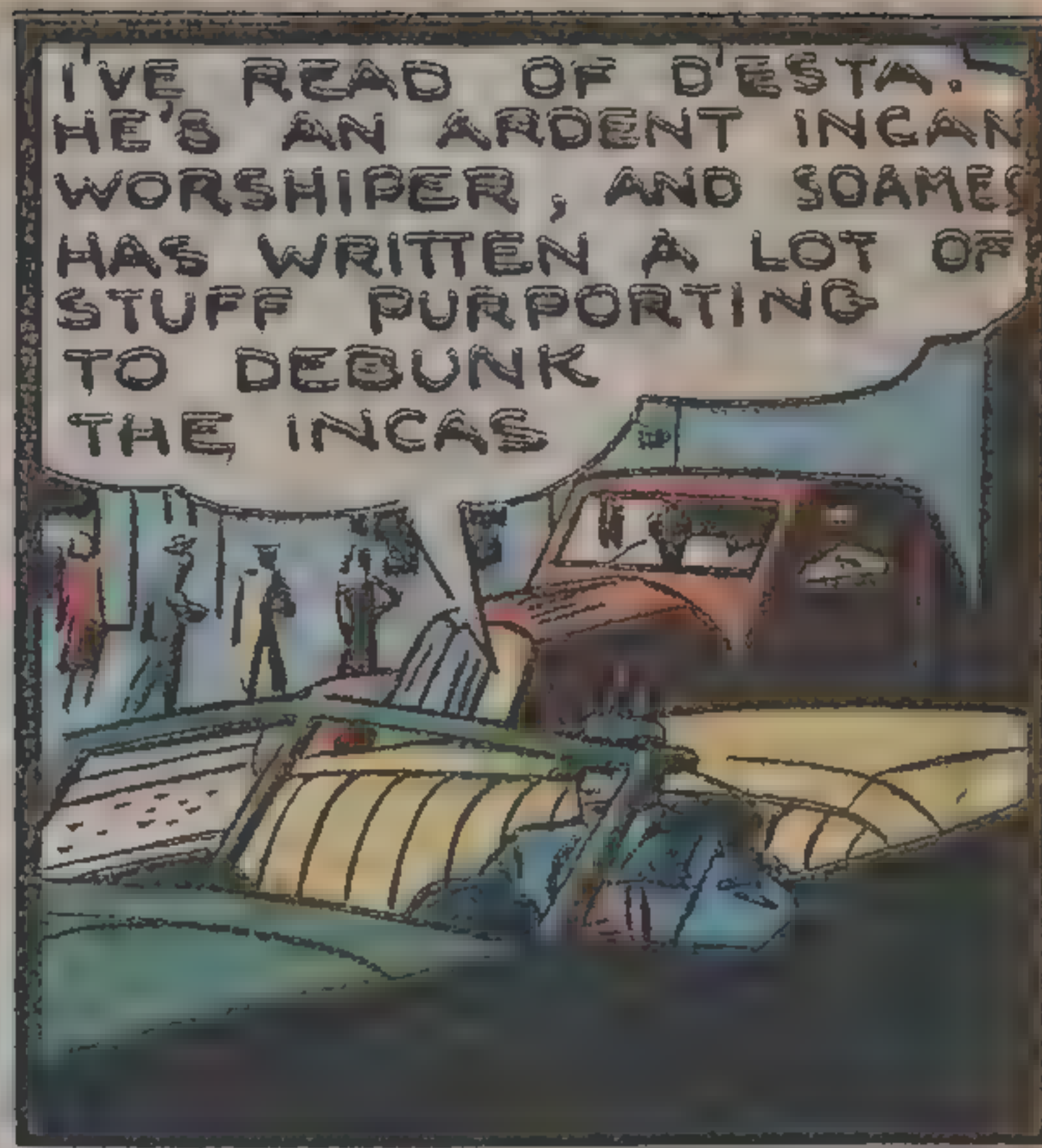
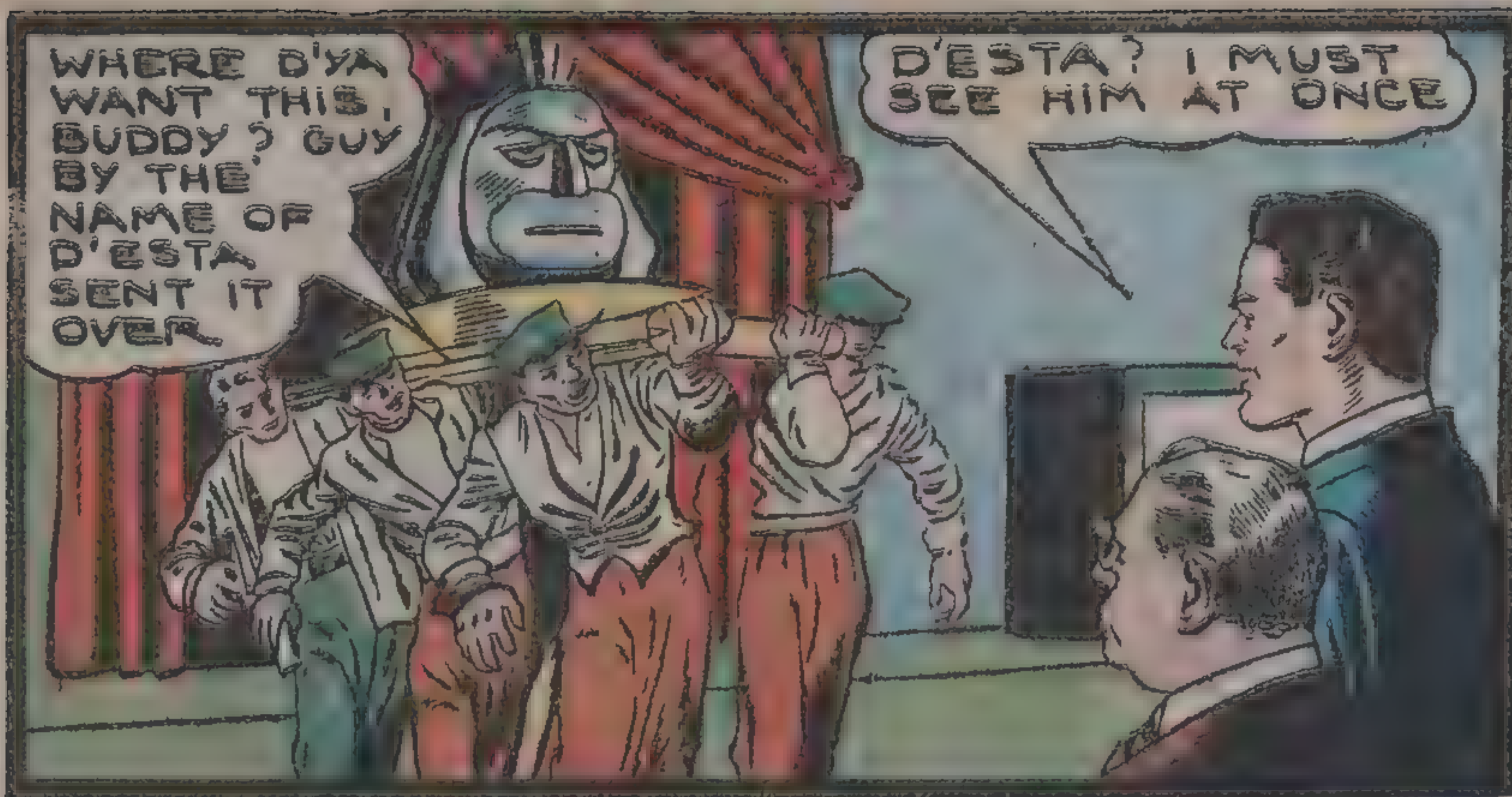
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PLEASE COME
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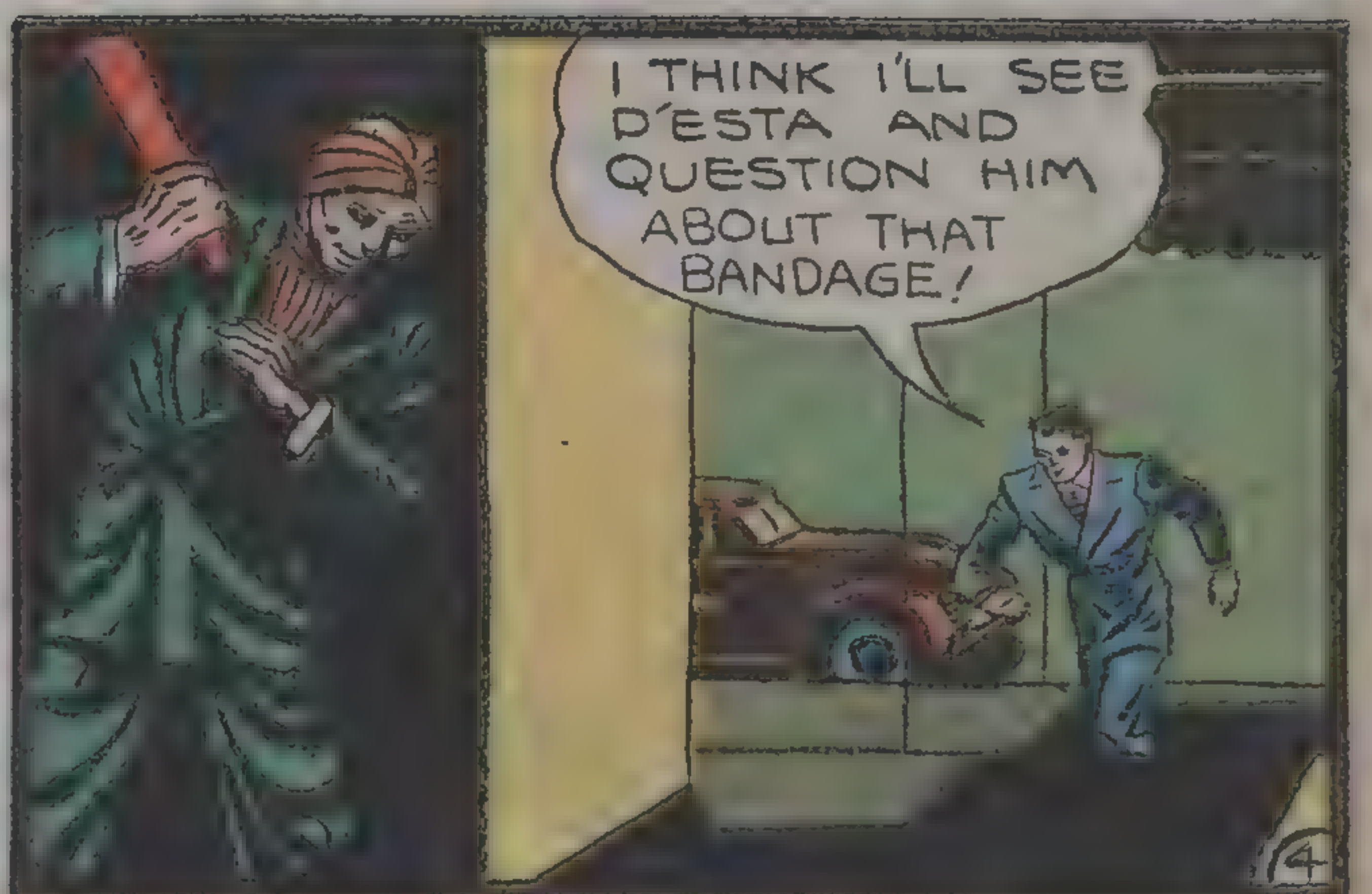
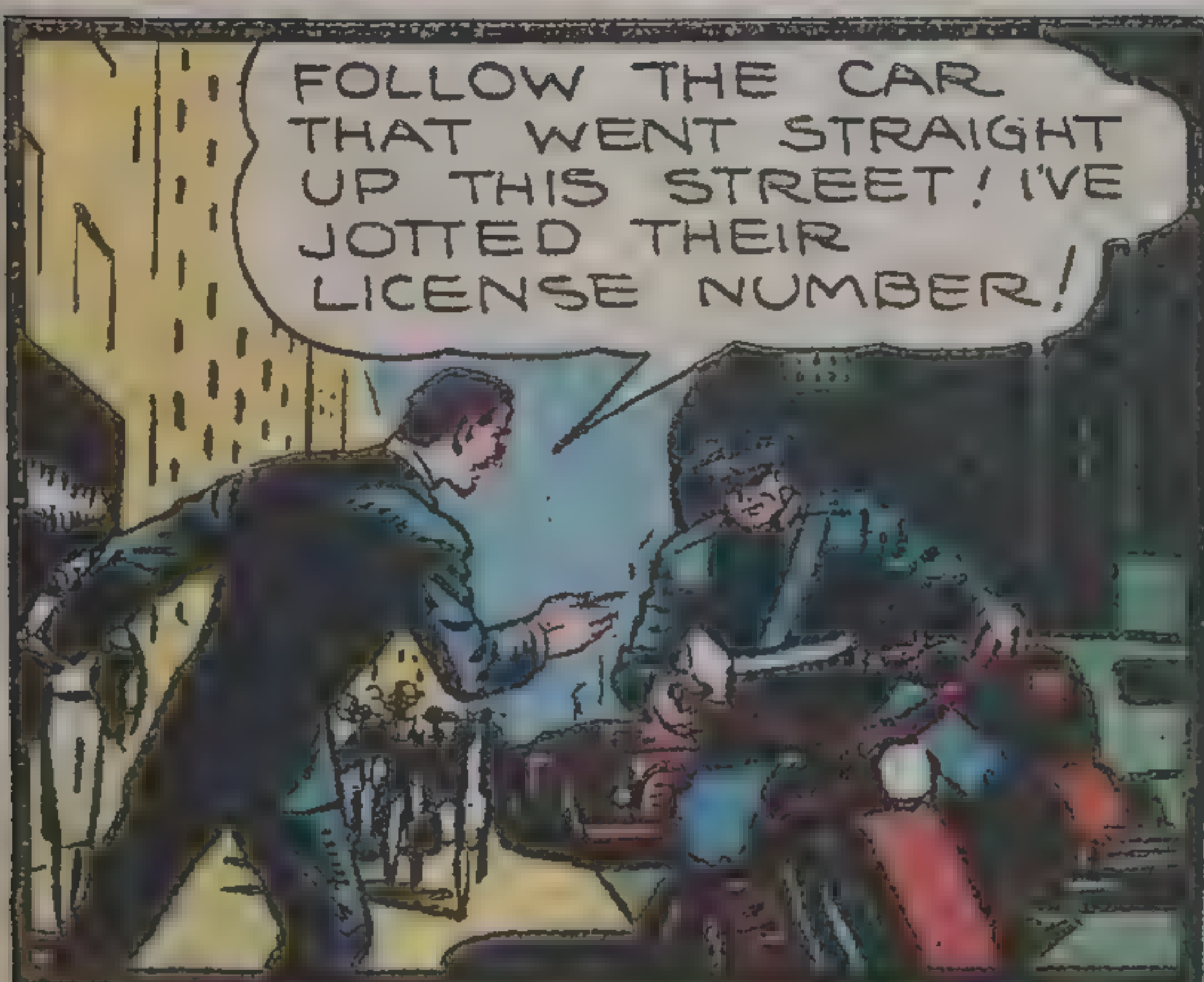
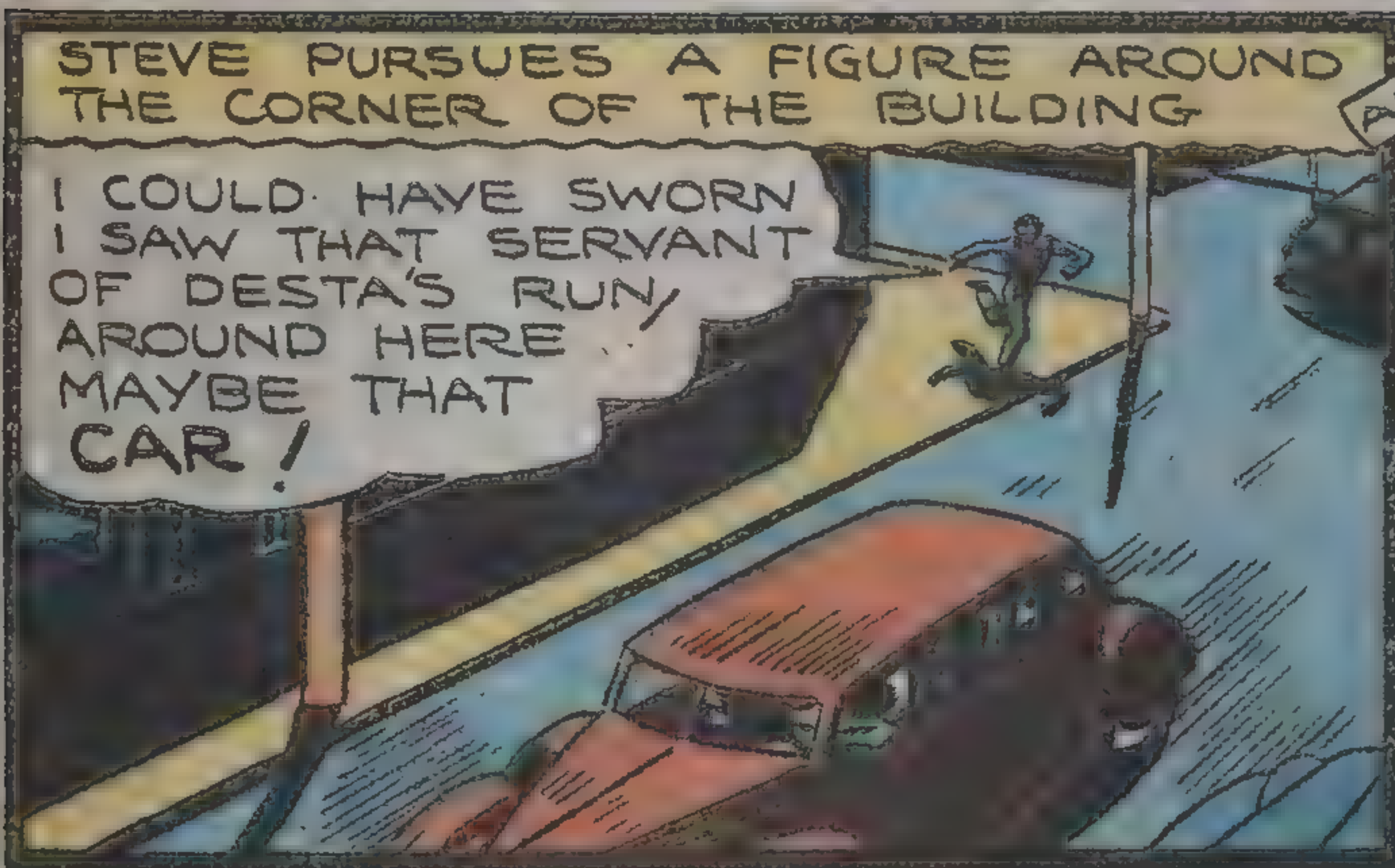
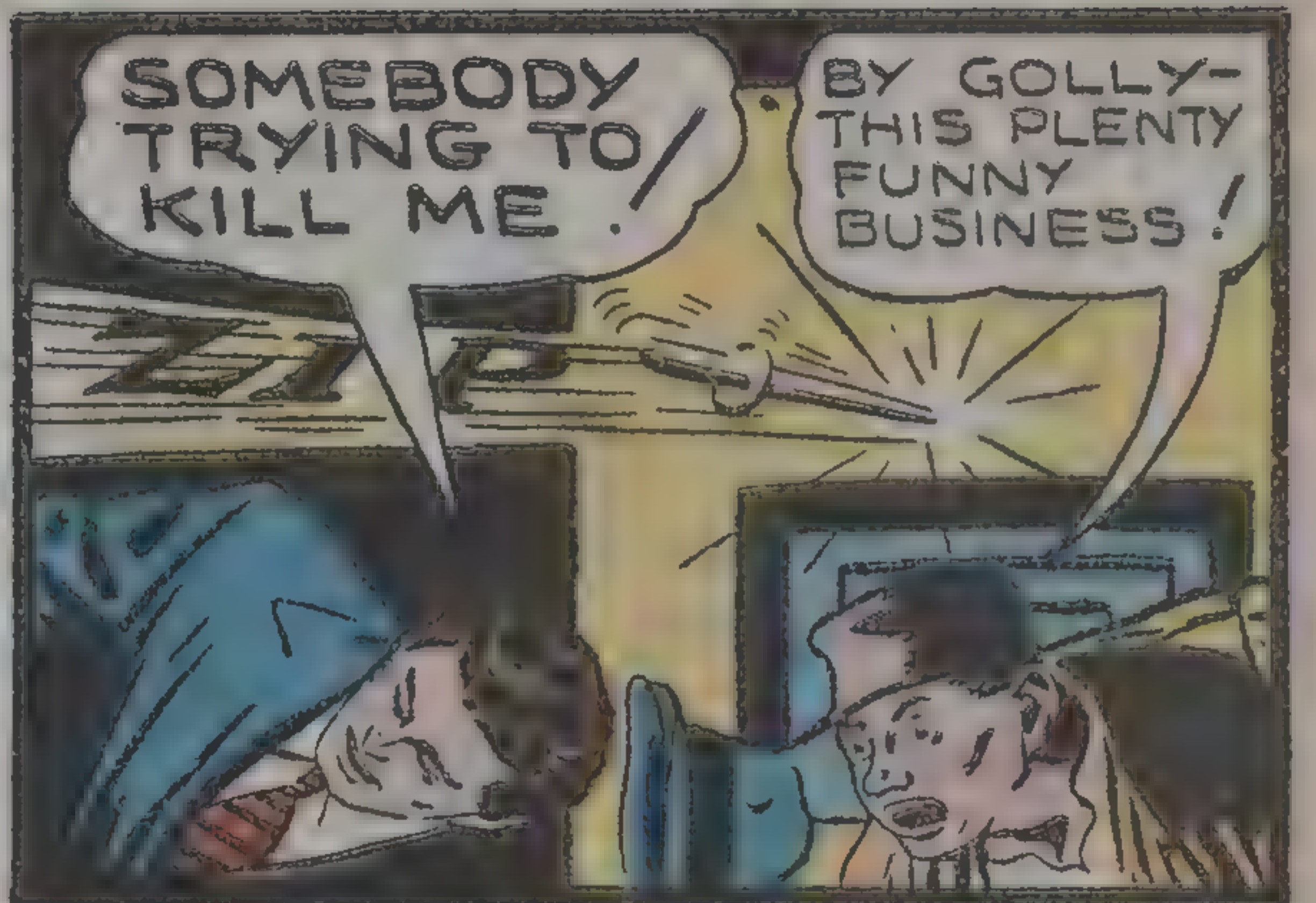
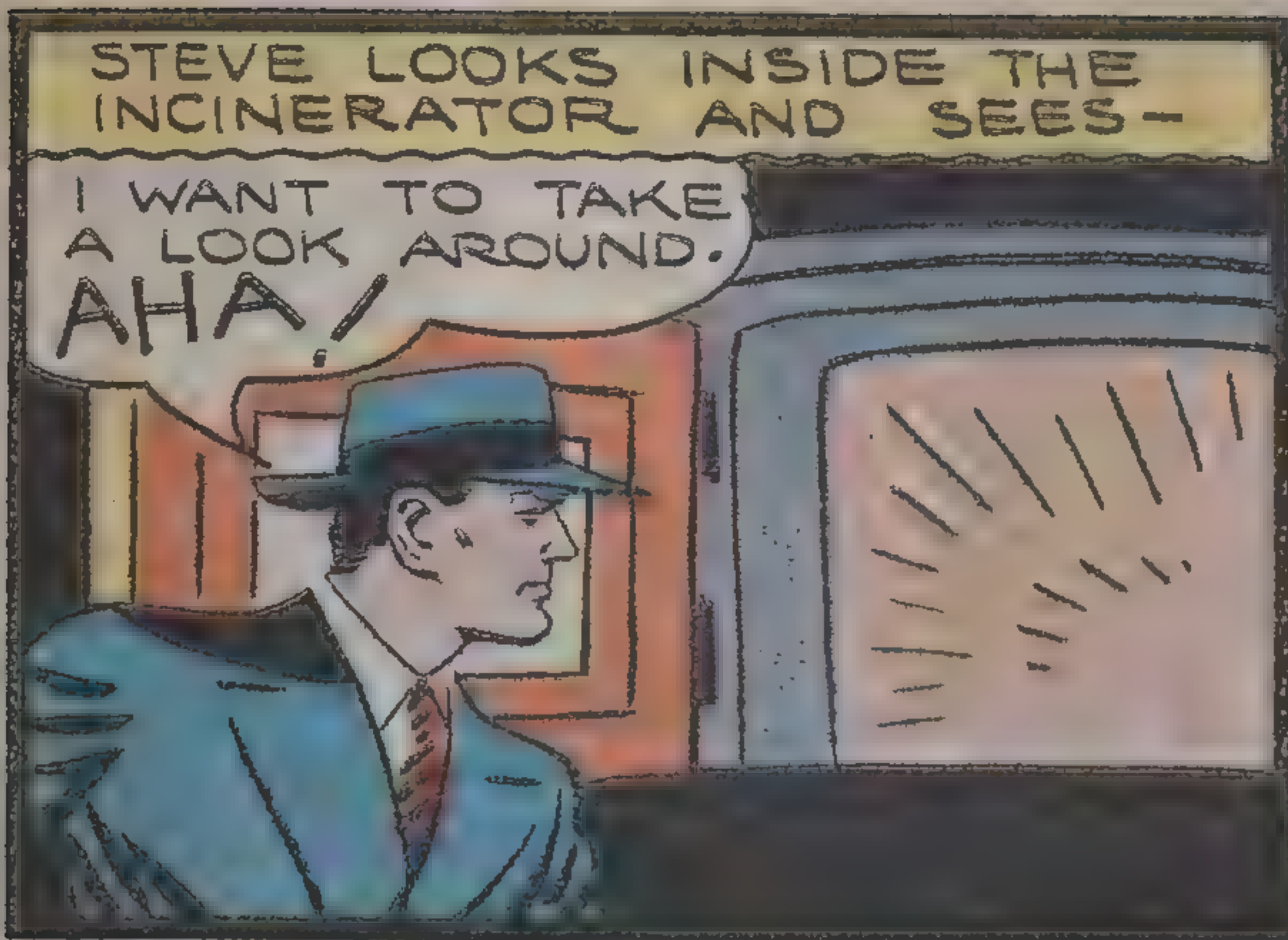
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KNIFE--AN INCAN
SACRIFICIAL KNIFE--
YOU MIGHT LIKE A
LETTER OPENER

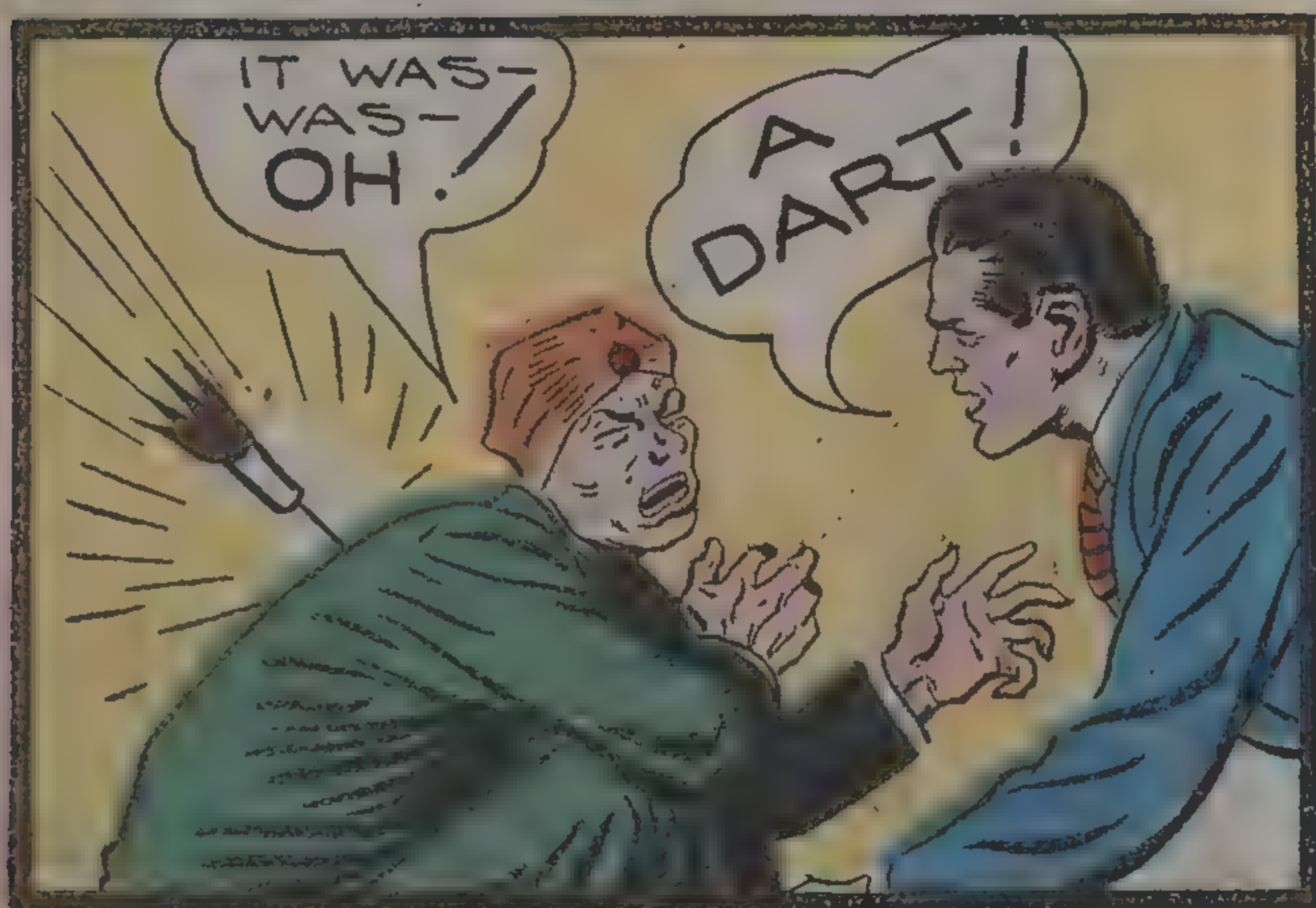
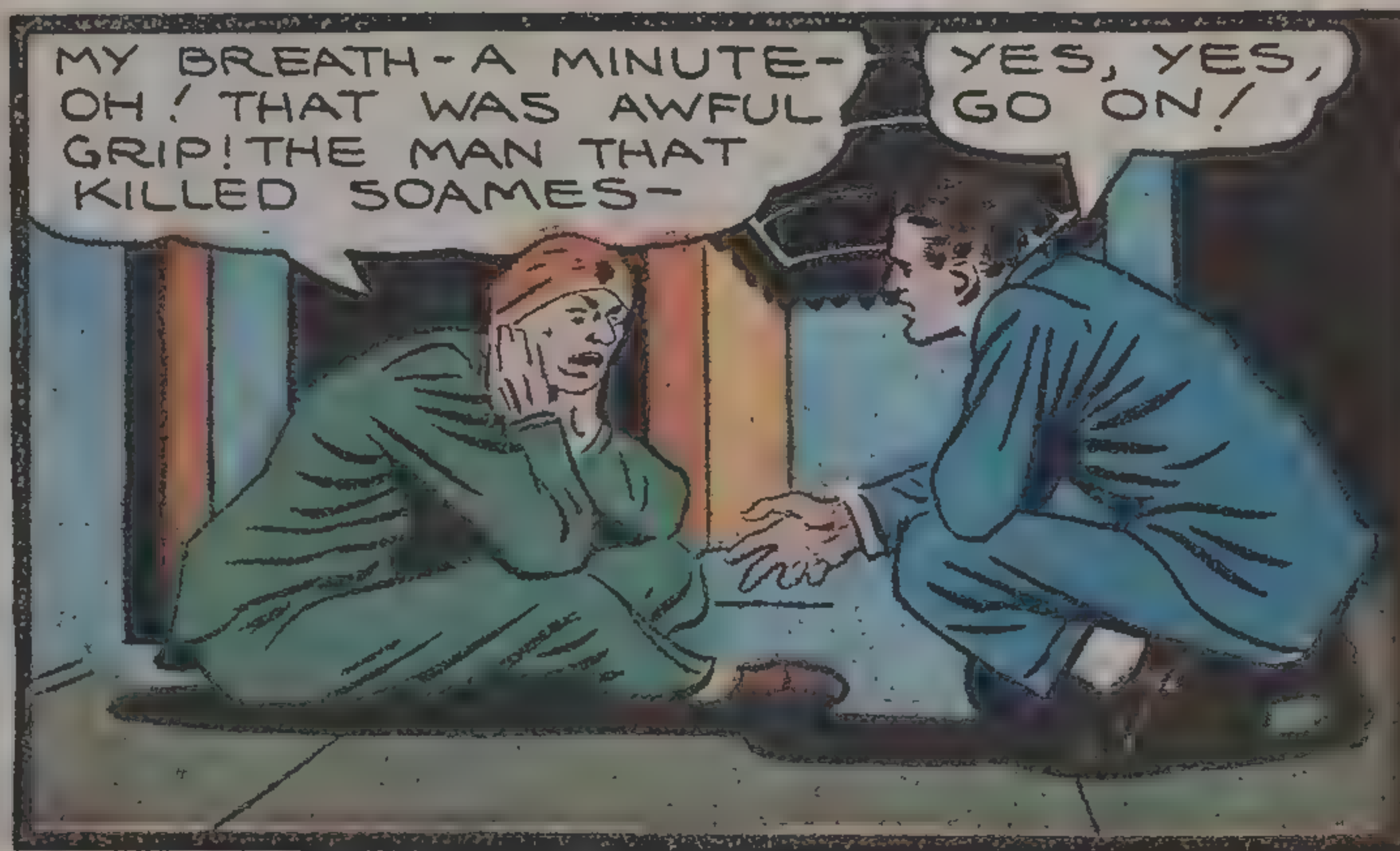
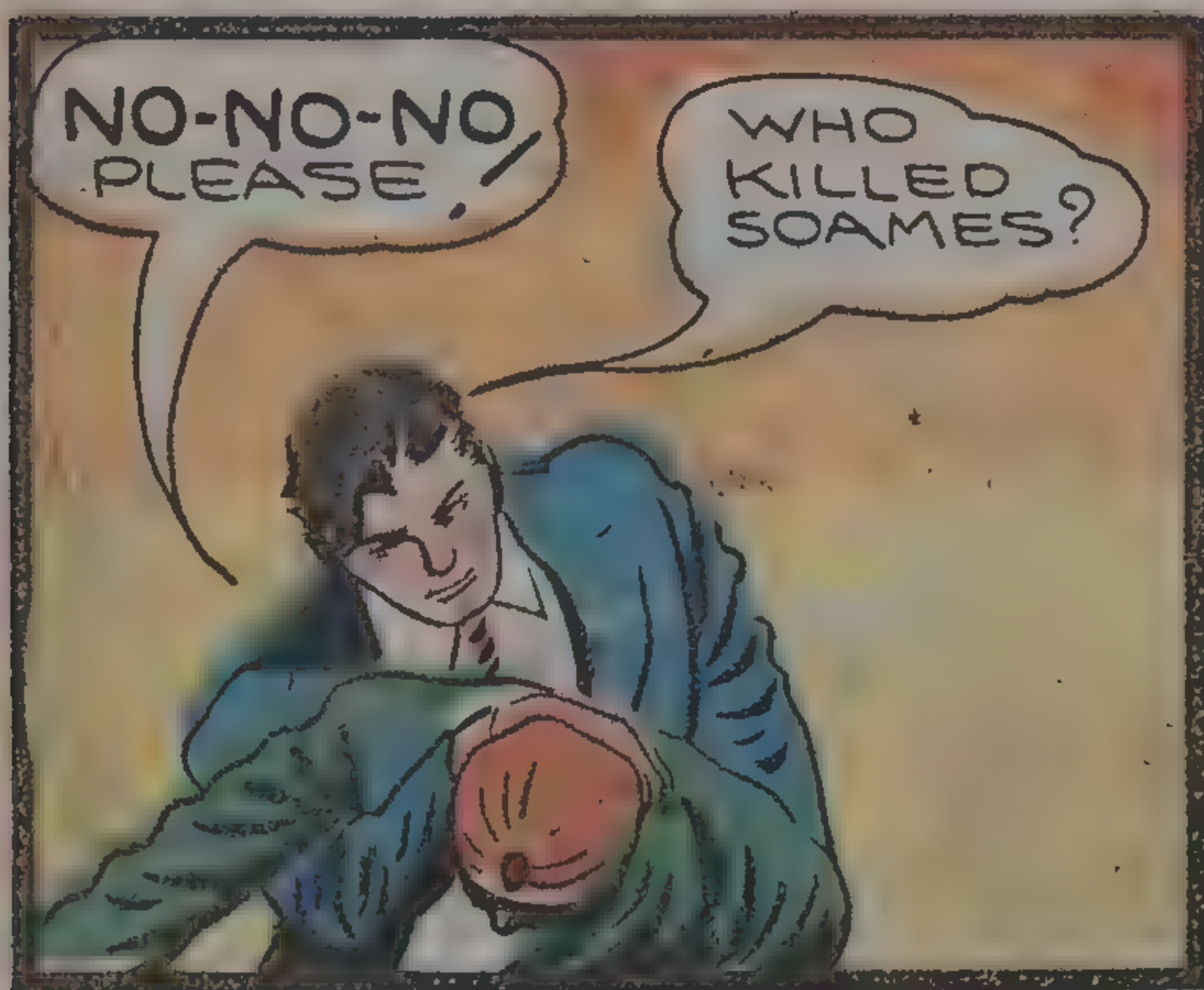
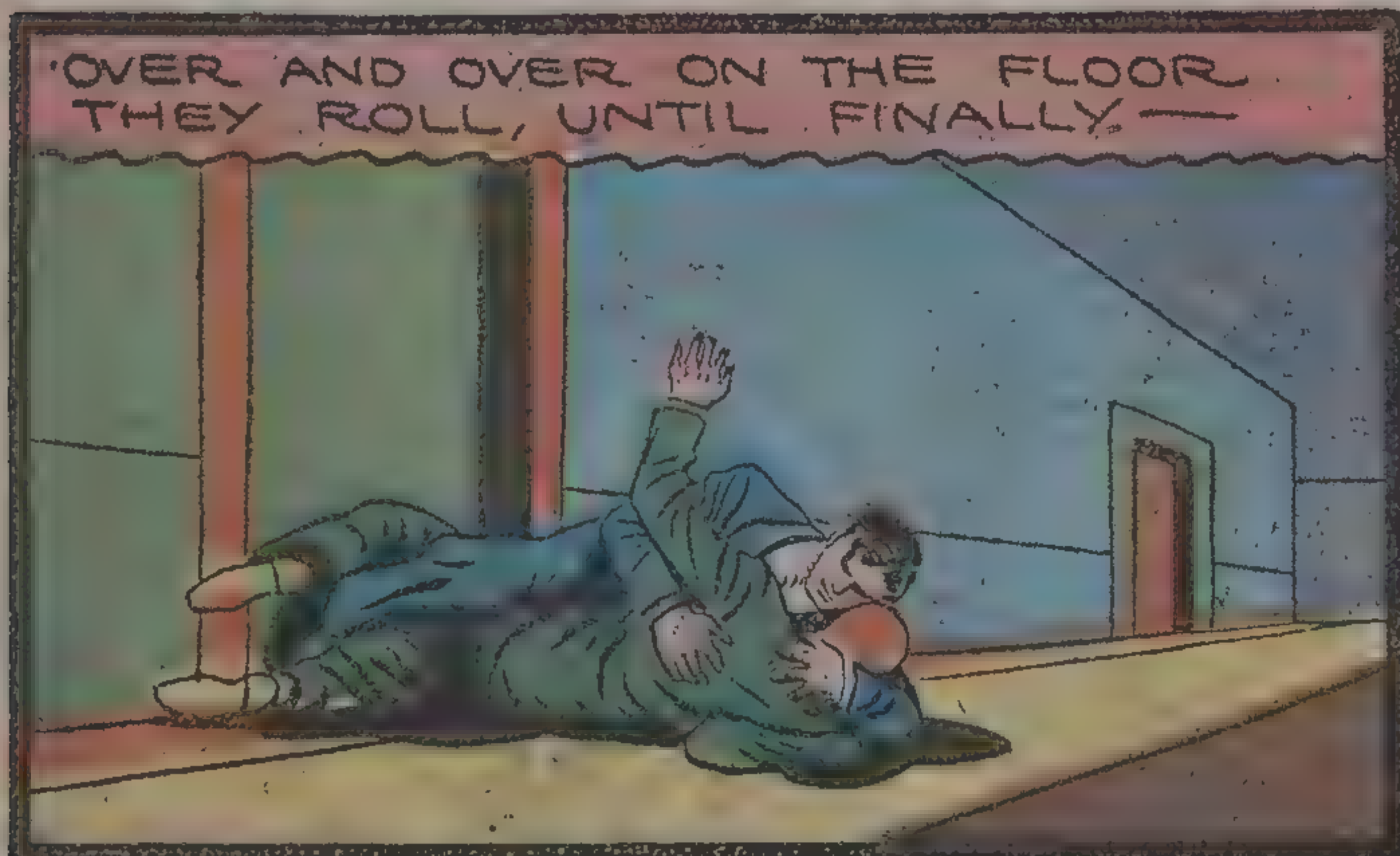
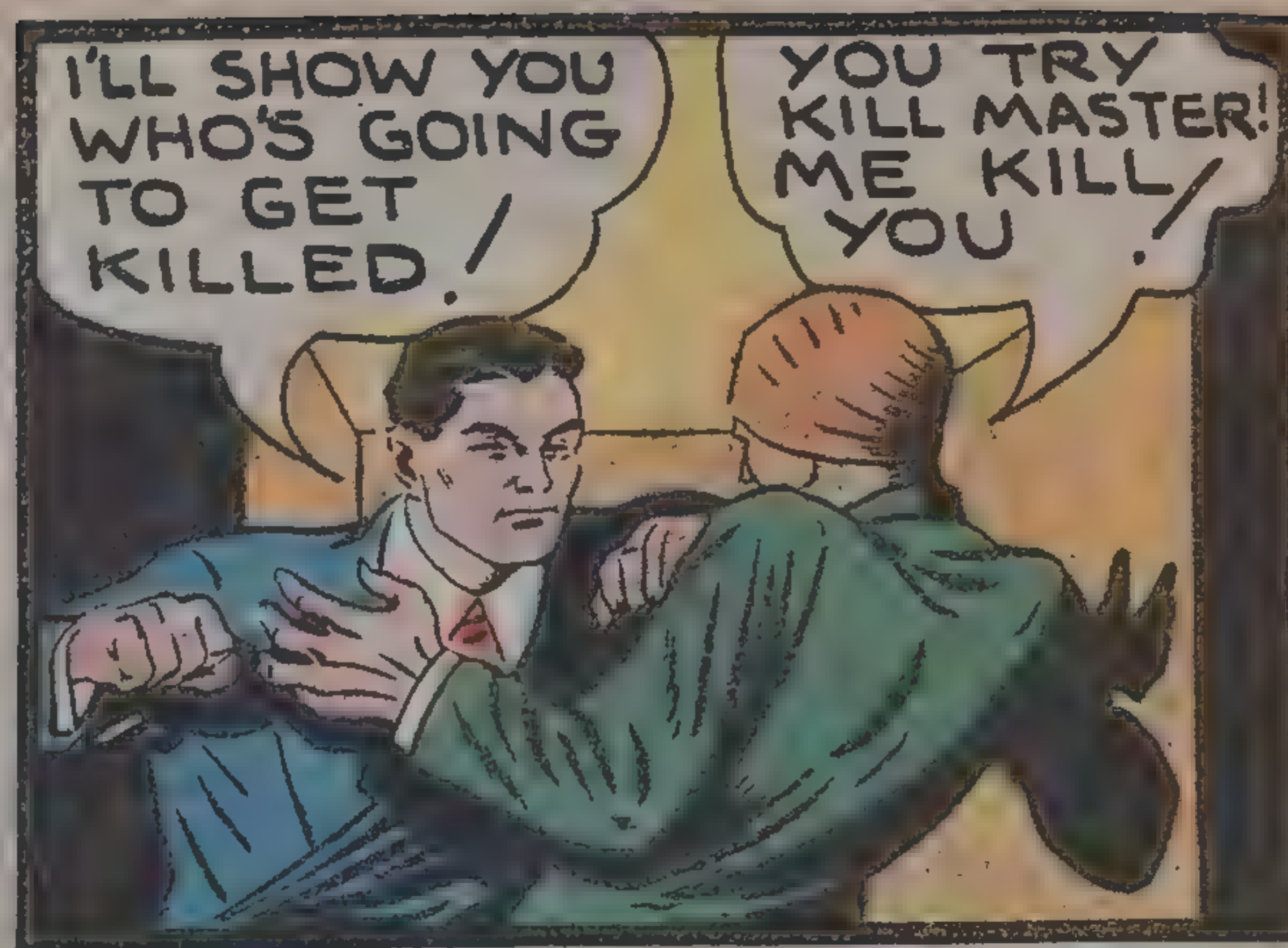
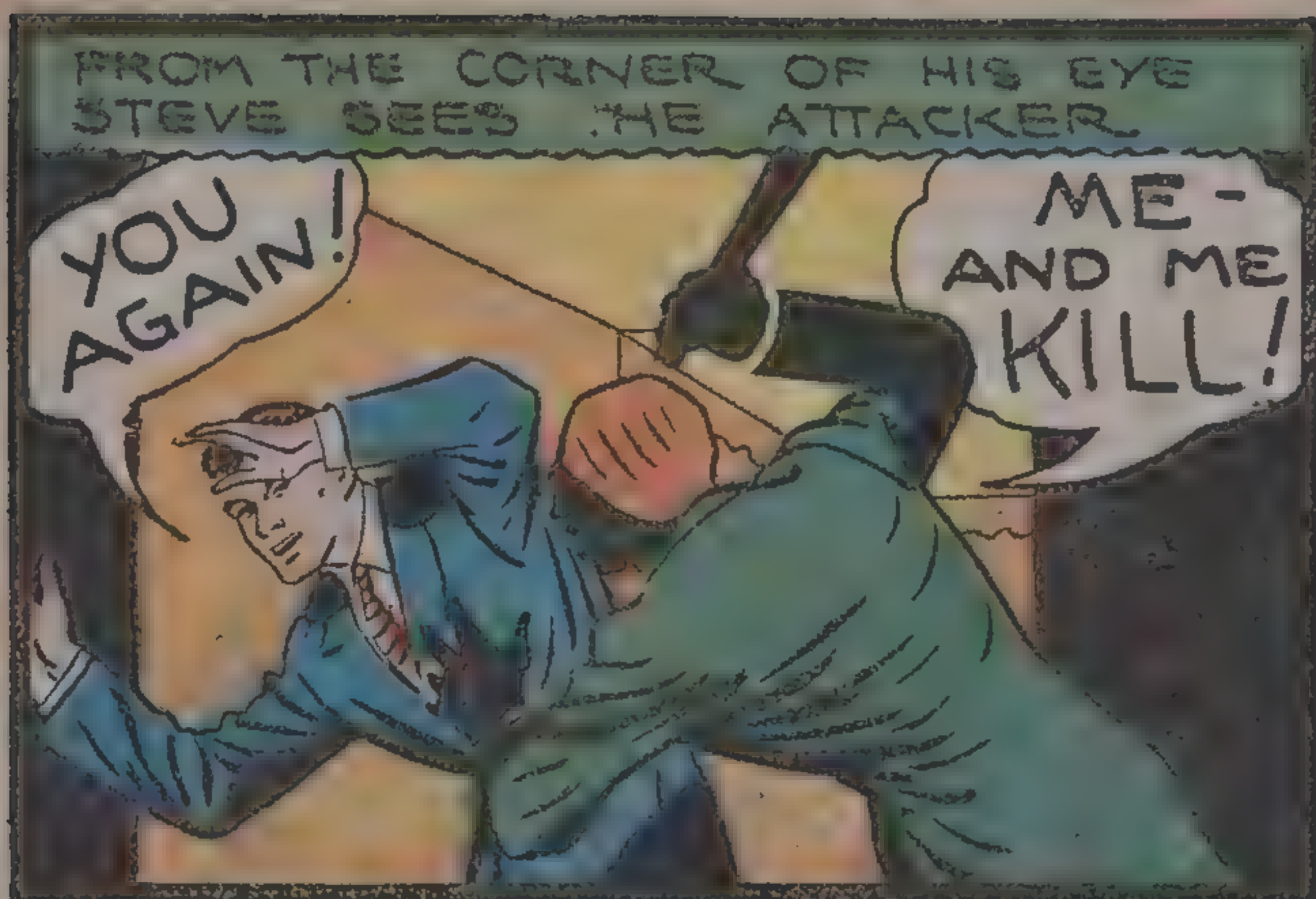
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I SLIPPED!

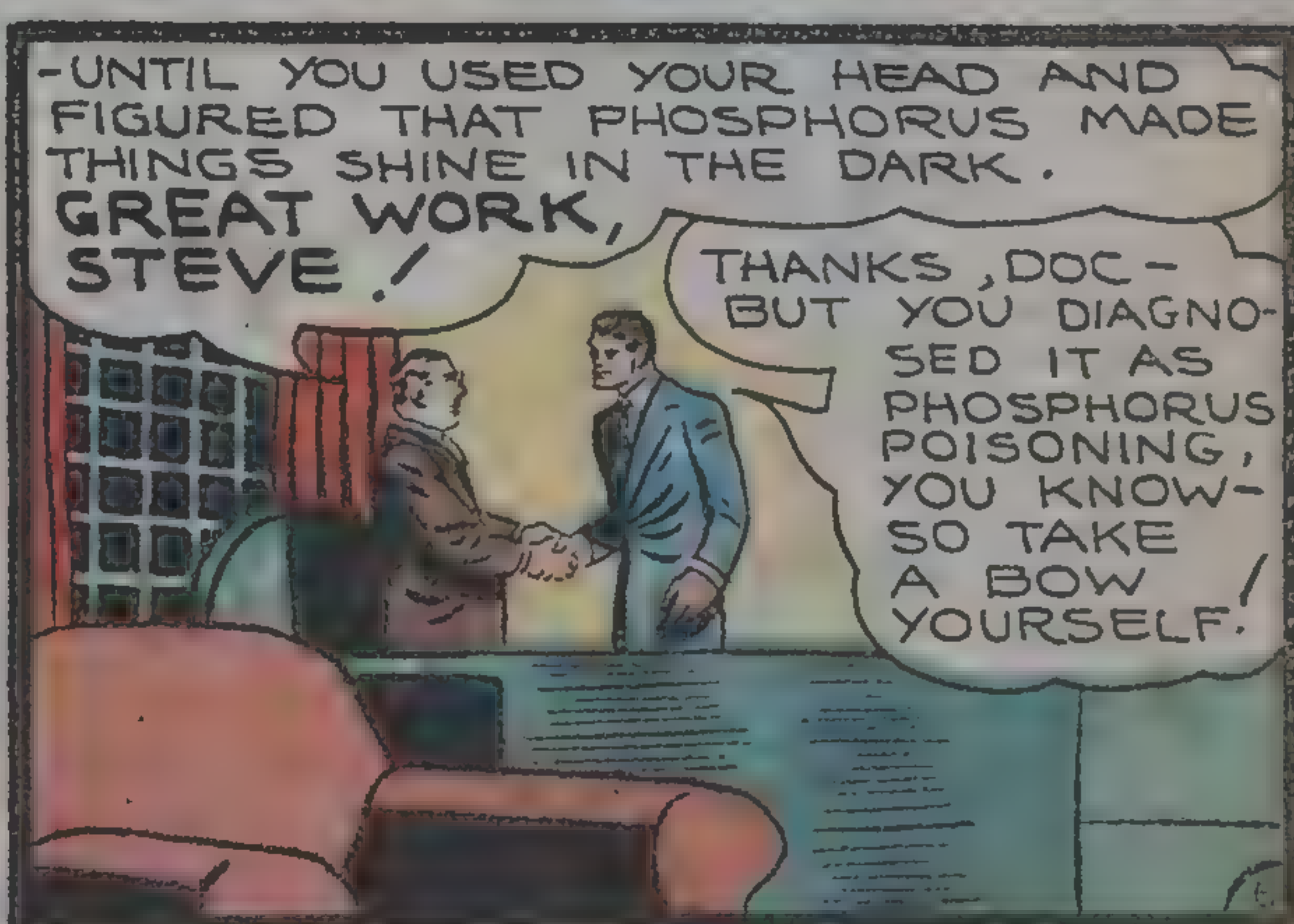
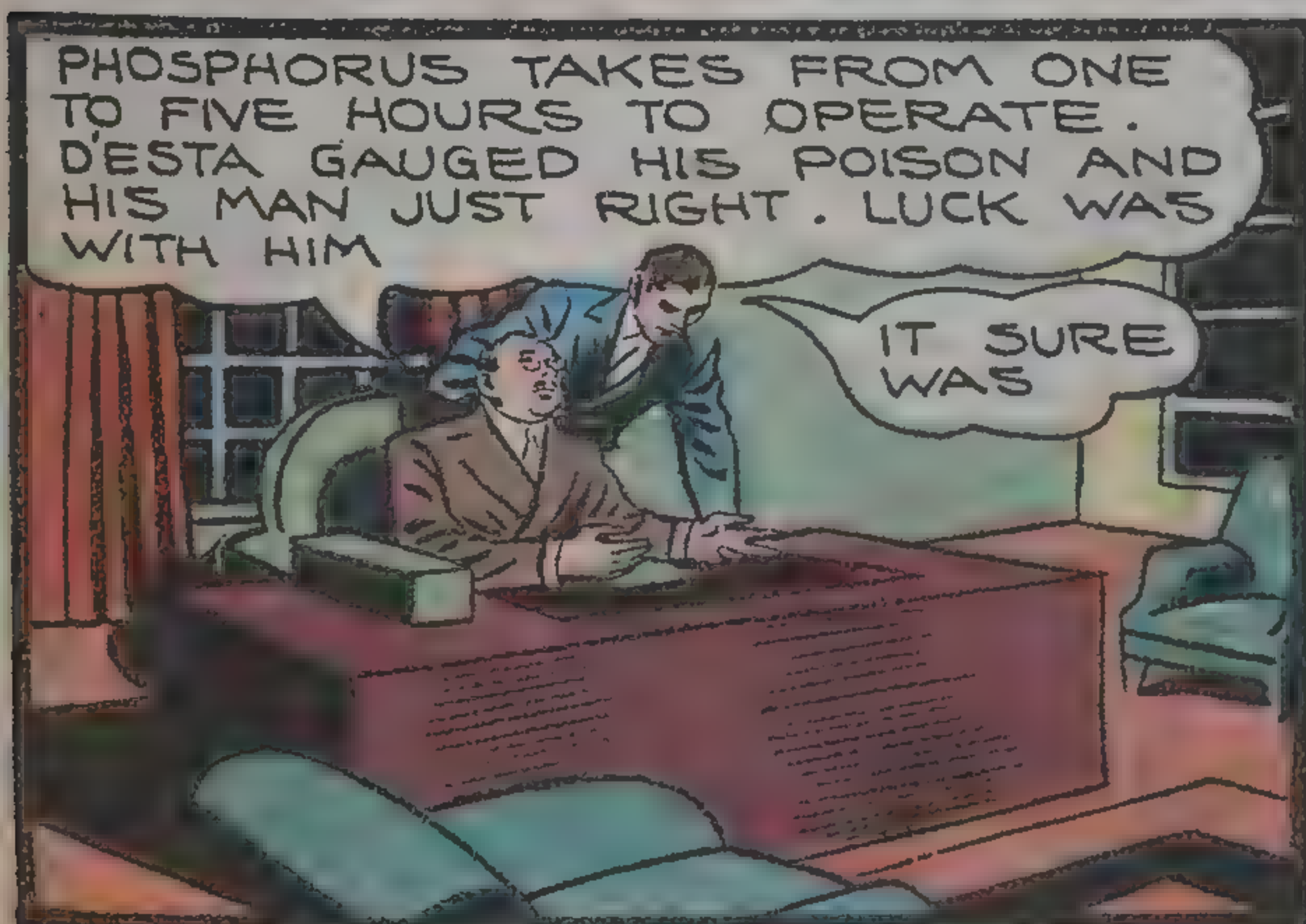
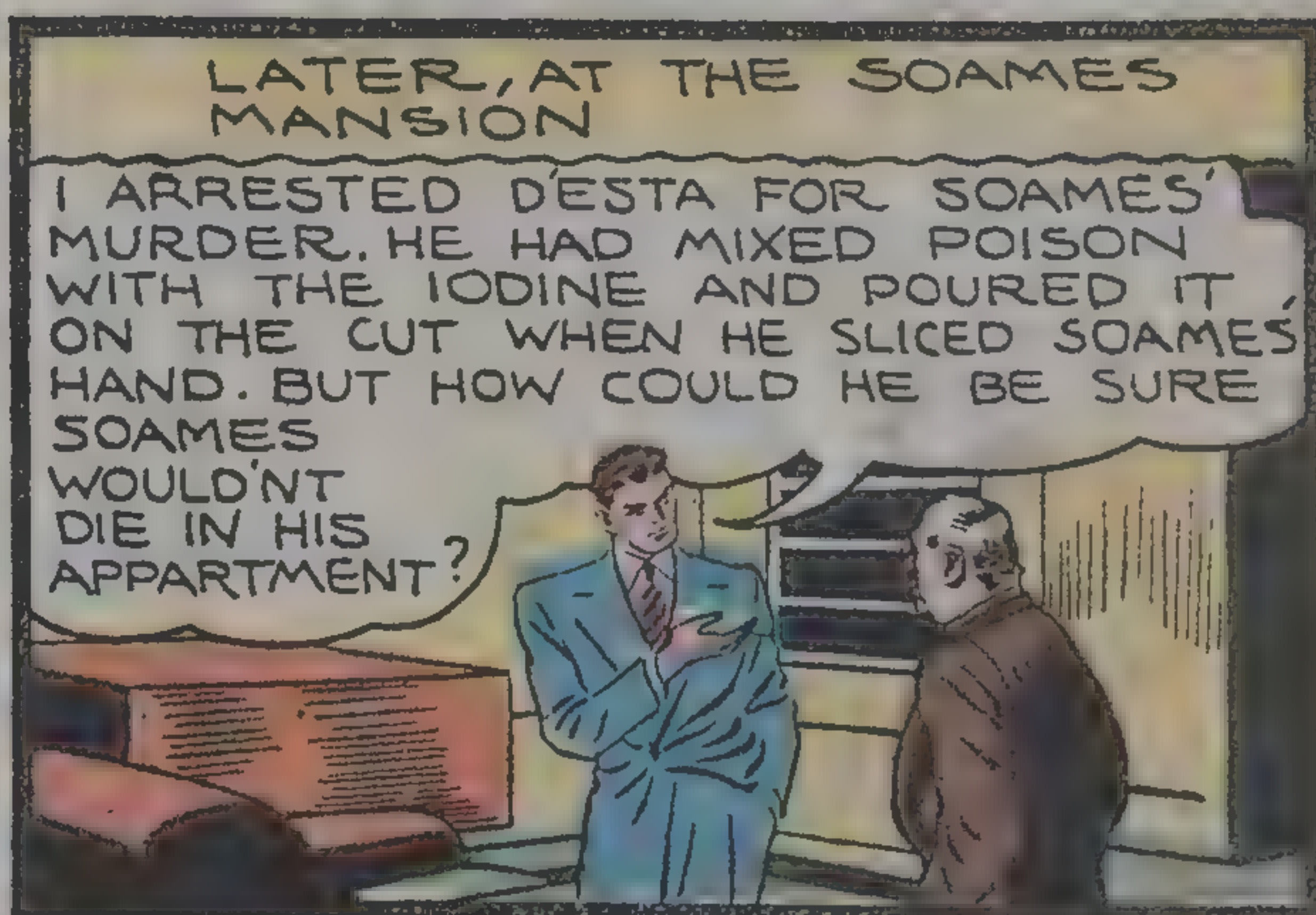
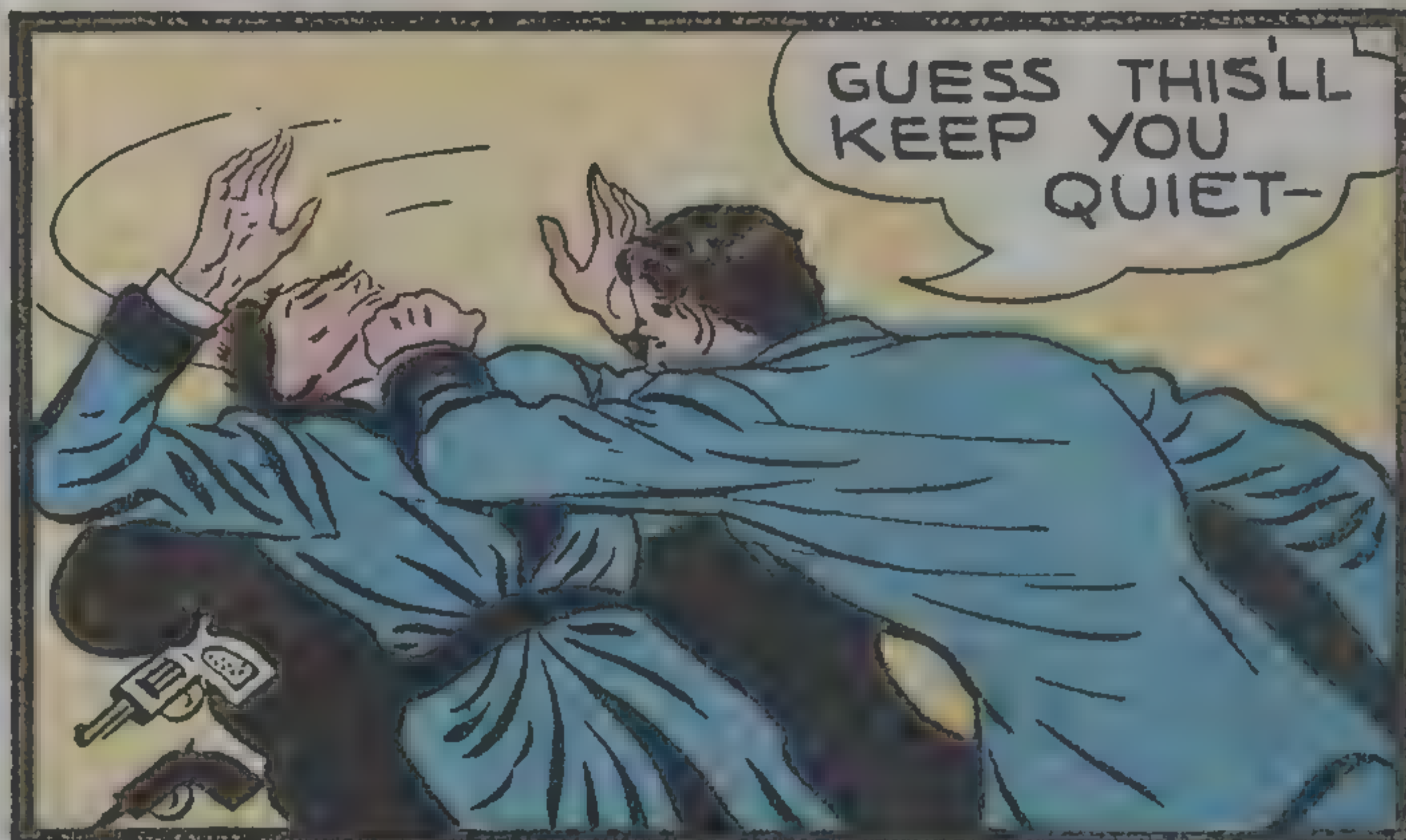
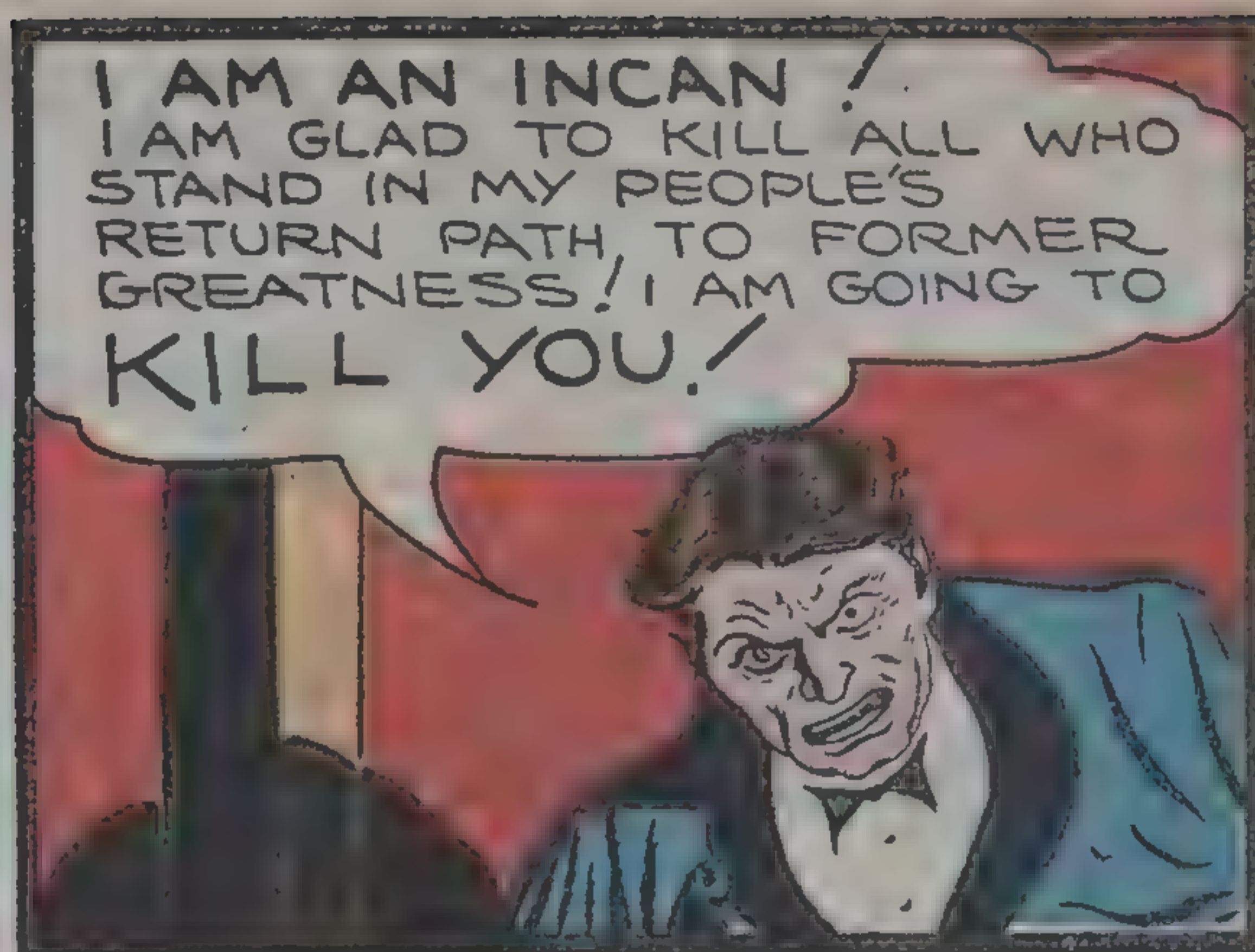
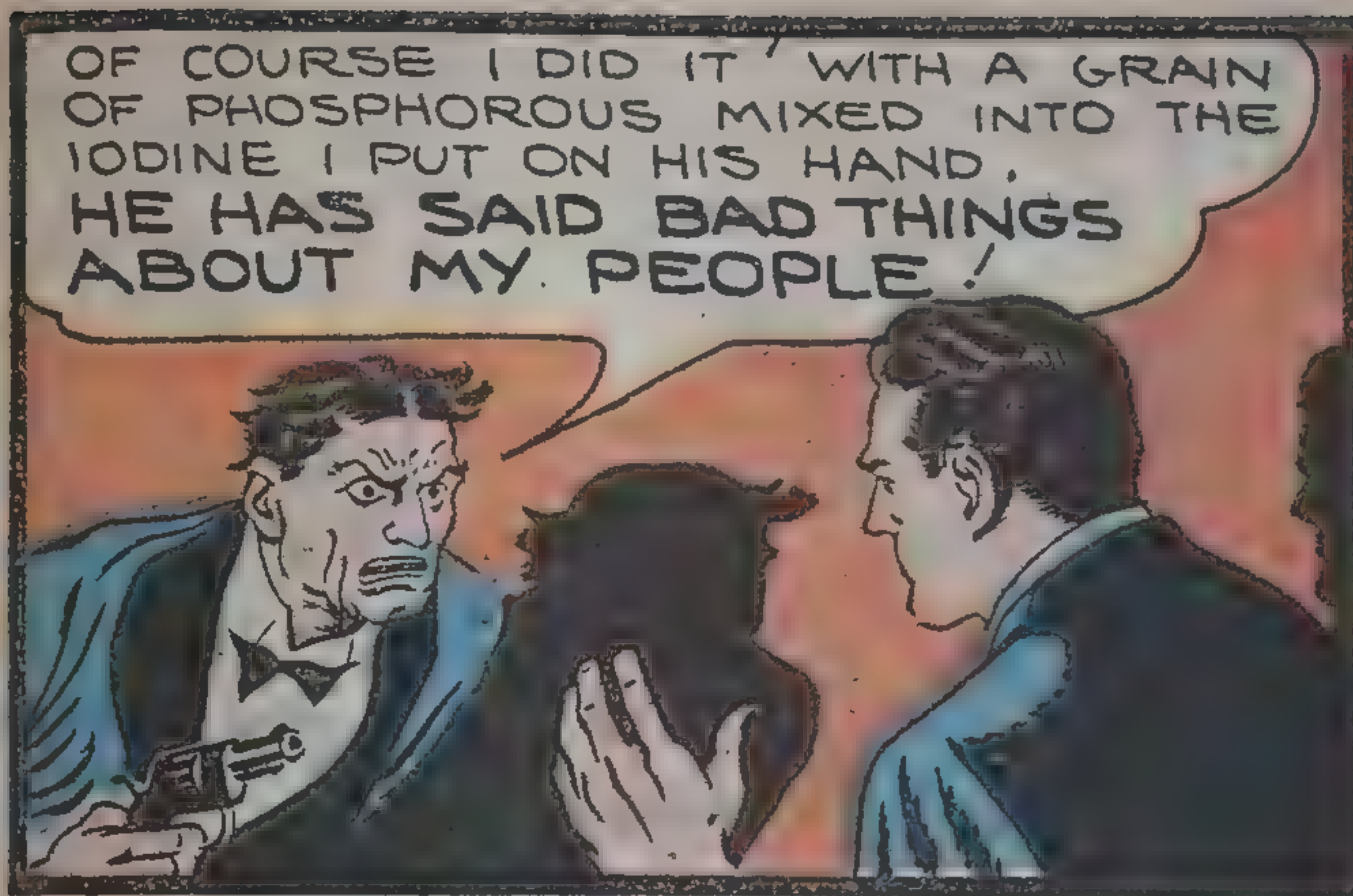
LOOK OUT!
THAT KNIFE
IS SHARP!














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JOE AND MOE ARRANGED TO MEET, ED AND TED ON CLANCY STREET, 'PHONED THEY'D GET THERE FIRST AND WAIT. (ED'S OLD BIKE WOULD MAKE HIM LATE).




ED (the smoothie!) SCHEMED A SCHEME, SAID "WE'LL RACE! THE LOSING TEAM, "BUYS THE MILKSHAKES. RIGHT? LET'S GO! "(BOY, OH BOY, WHAT THEY DON'T KNOW!)"



FAST AS JOE AND MOE COULD HEAD, TO THE MEETING-PLACE THEY SPED, SURE THEY'D GET THERE FIRST, TO GREET, ED AND TED AT CLANCY STREET.

"THIS IS SOFT," SAID MOE TO JOE, 'TOUGH THAT ED'S OLD BIKE'S SO SLOW!" (CRAFTY ED "FORGOT" TO SAY, HIS NEW BIKE ARRIVED THAT DAY!)"

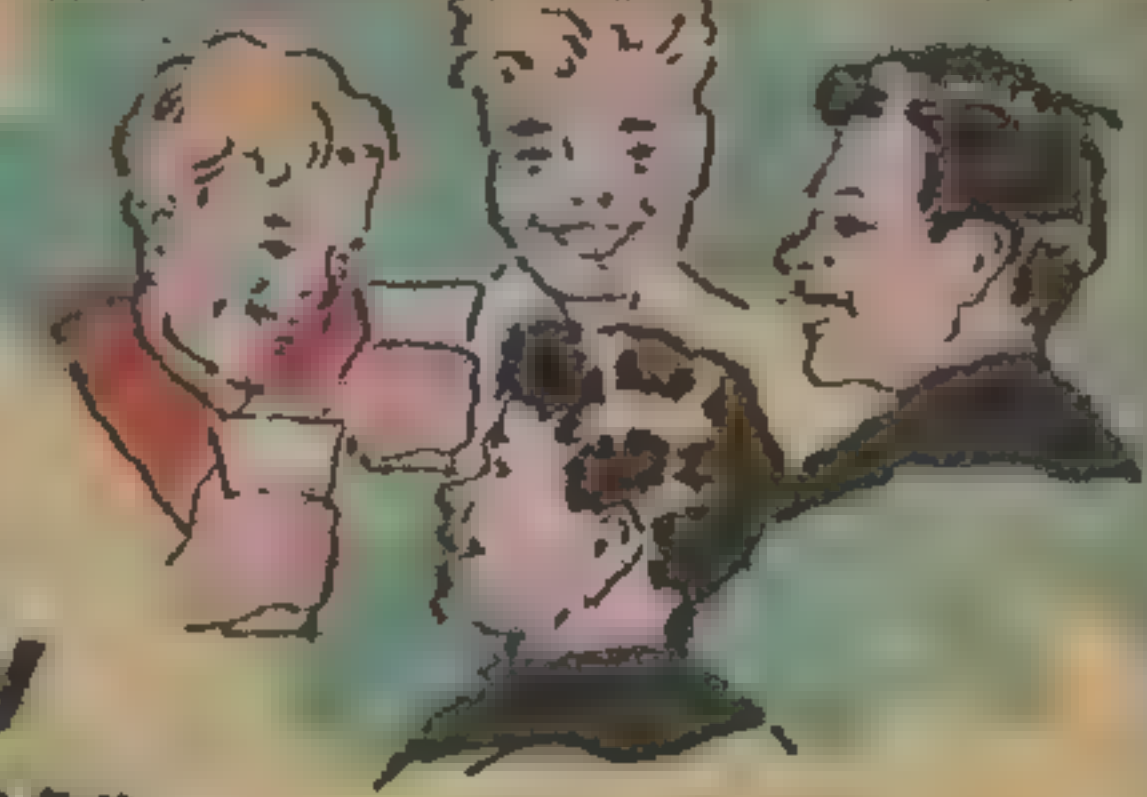
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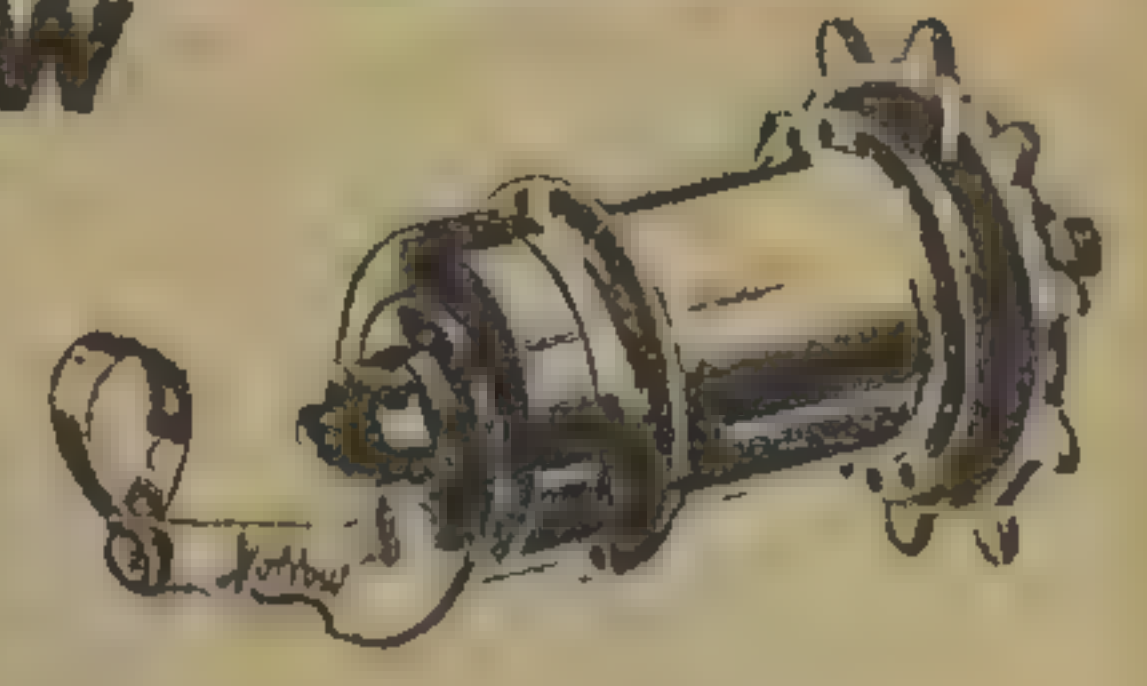
TED HAD LISTENED TO ED BOAST, HOW HIS BIKE WOULD SPEED AND COAST-THOUGHT THE BRAG MIGHT BE A FAKE 'TIL HE SPIED THE COASTER-BRAKE.

"HOT DOG! SO YOU GOT A MORROW!"
 "WILL WE FILL THOSE GUYS WITH SORROW!"
 "WE CAN TAKE THE TWISTY HILL -
 "WITH THAT BRAKE, YOU'LL NEVER SPILL!"

SURE, YOU KNOW WHO WON THE RACE. SEE ED'S HAPPY GRINNING FACE! (VICTORY IS TWICE AS SWEET, AFTER YOU HAVE KNOWN DEFEAT!)



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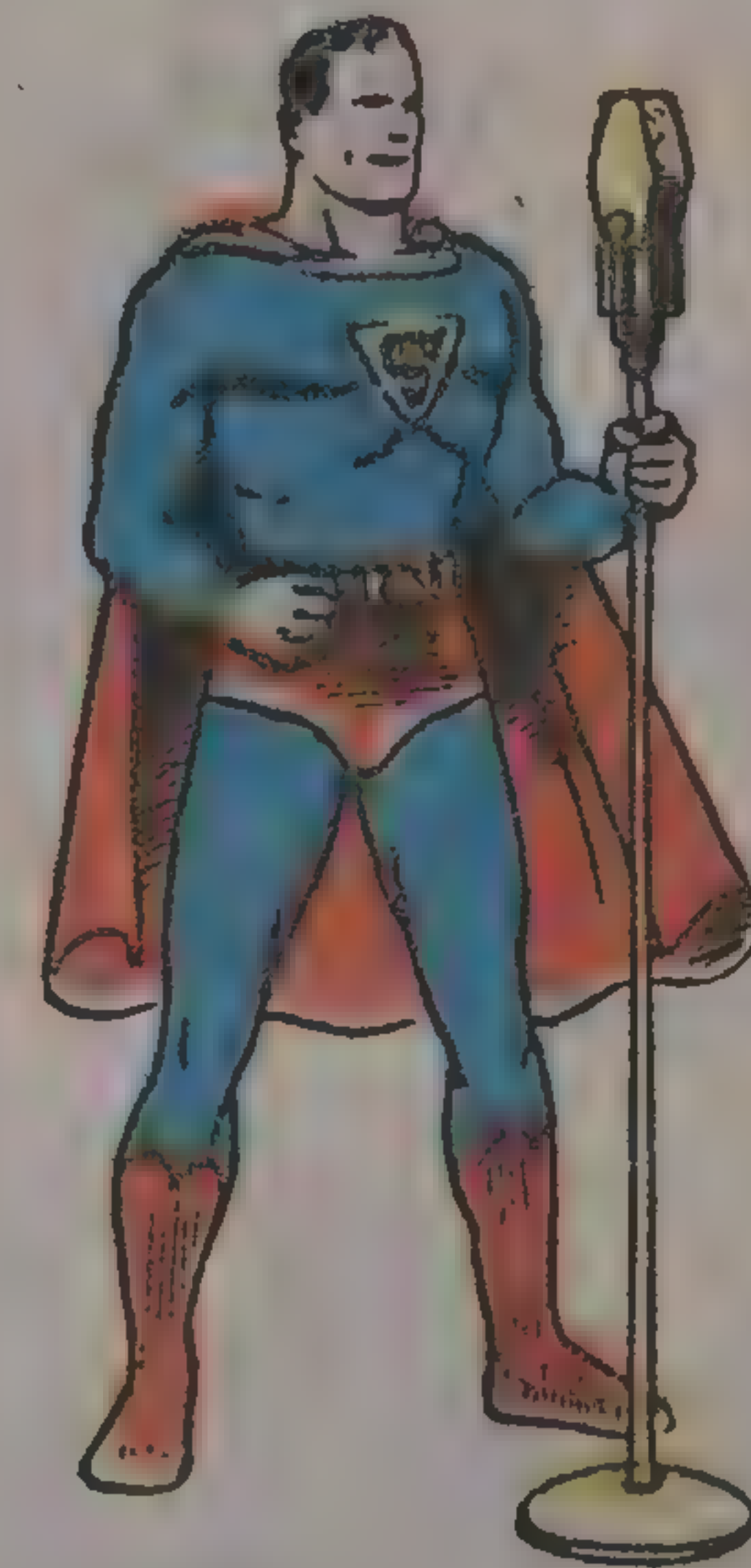


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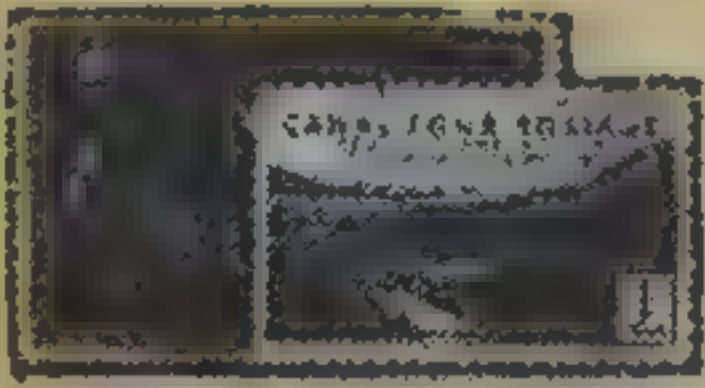


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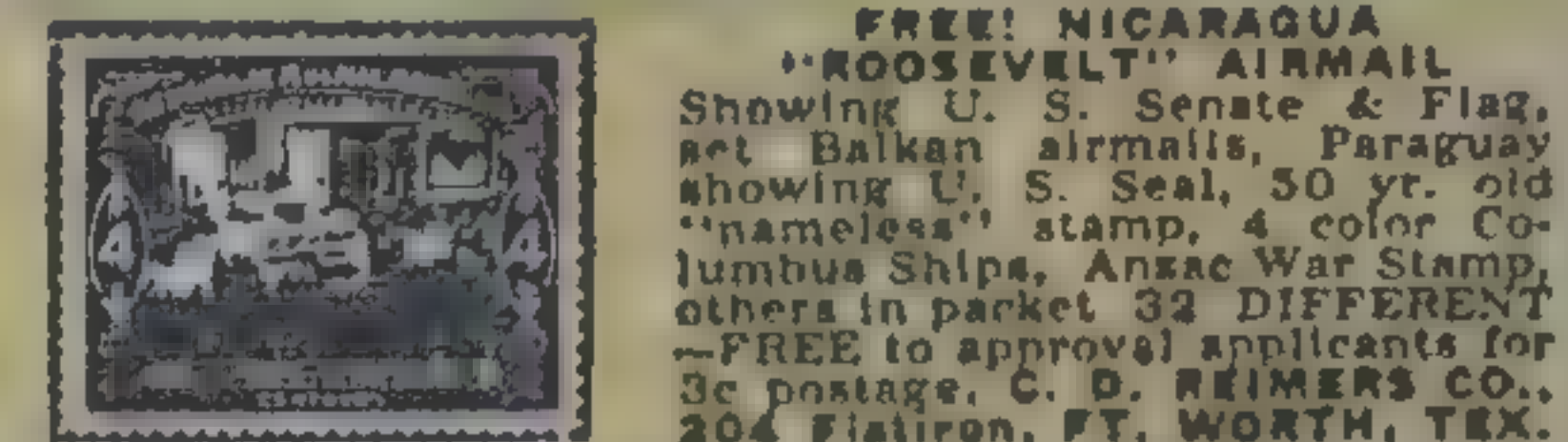
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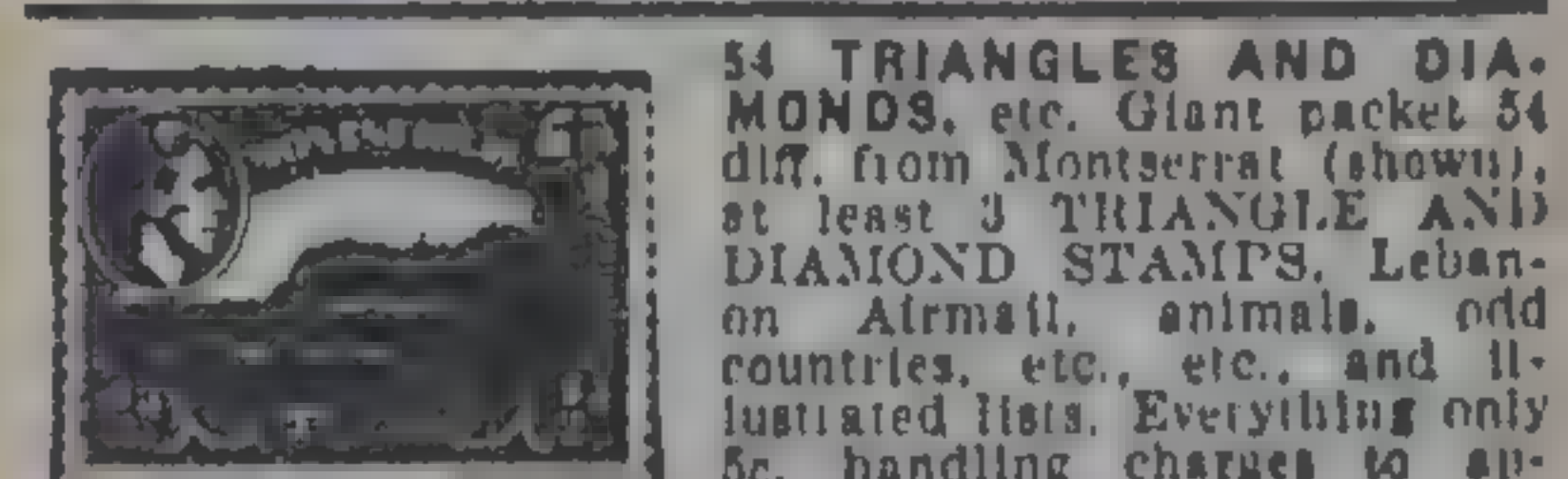
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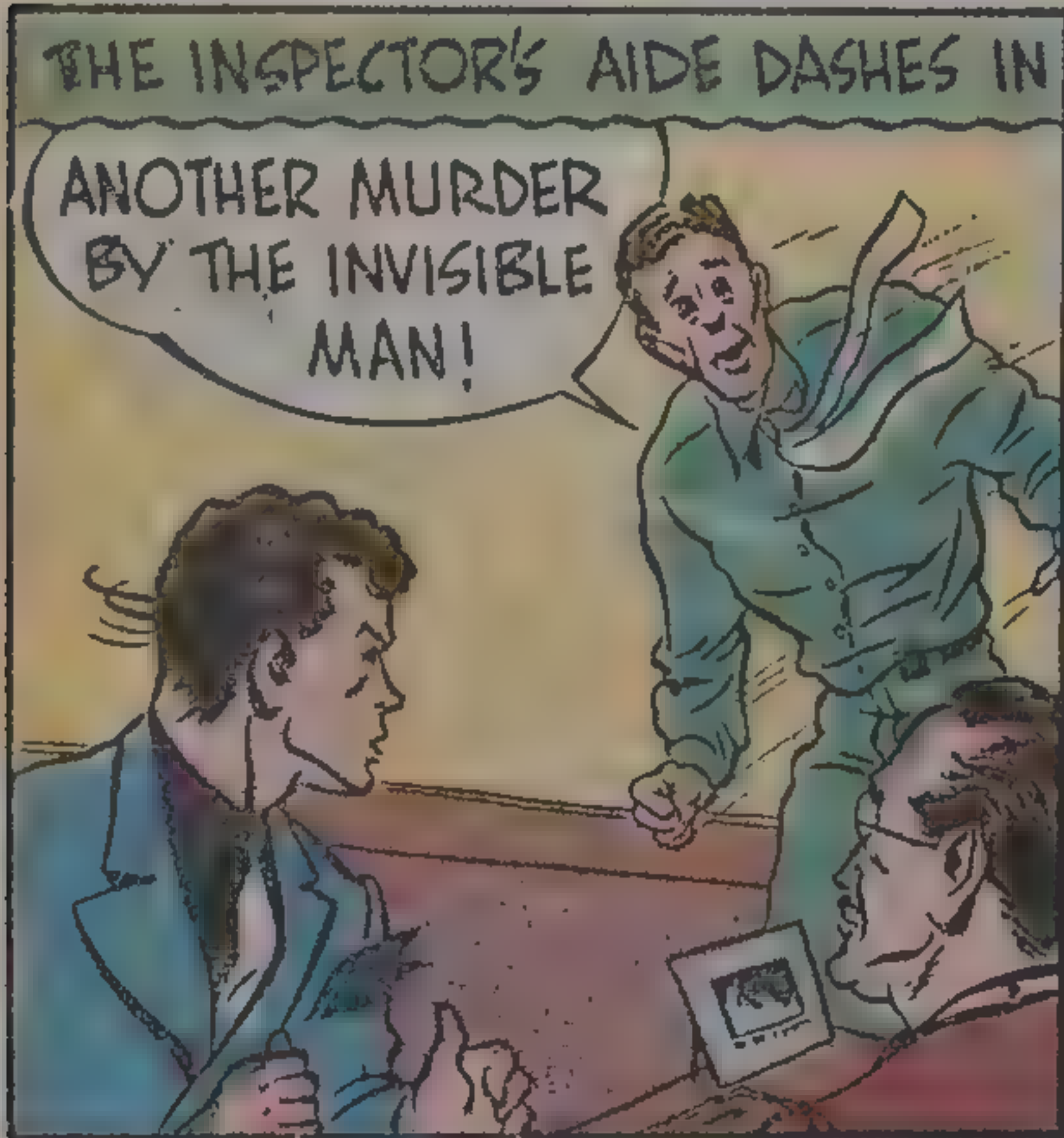
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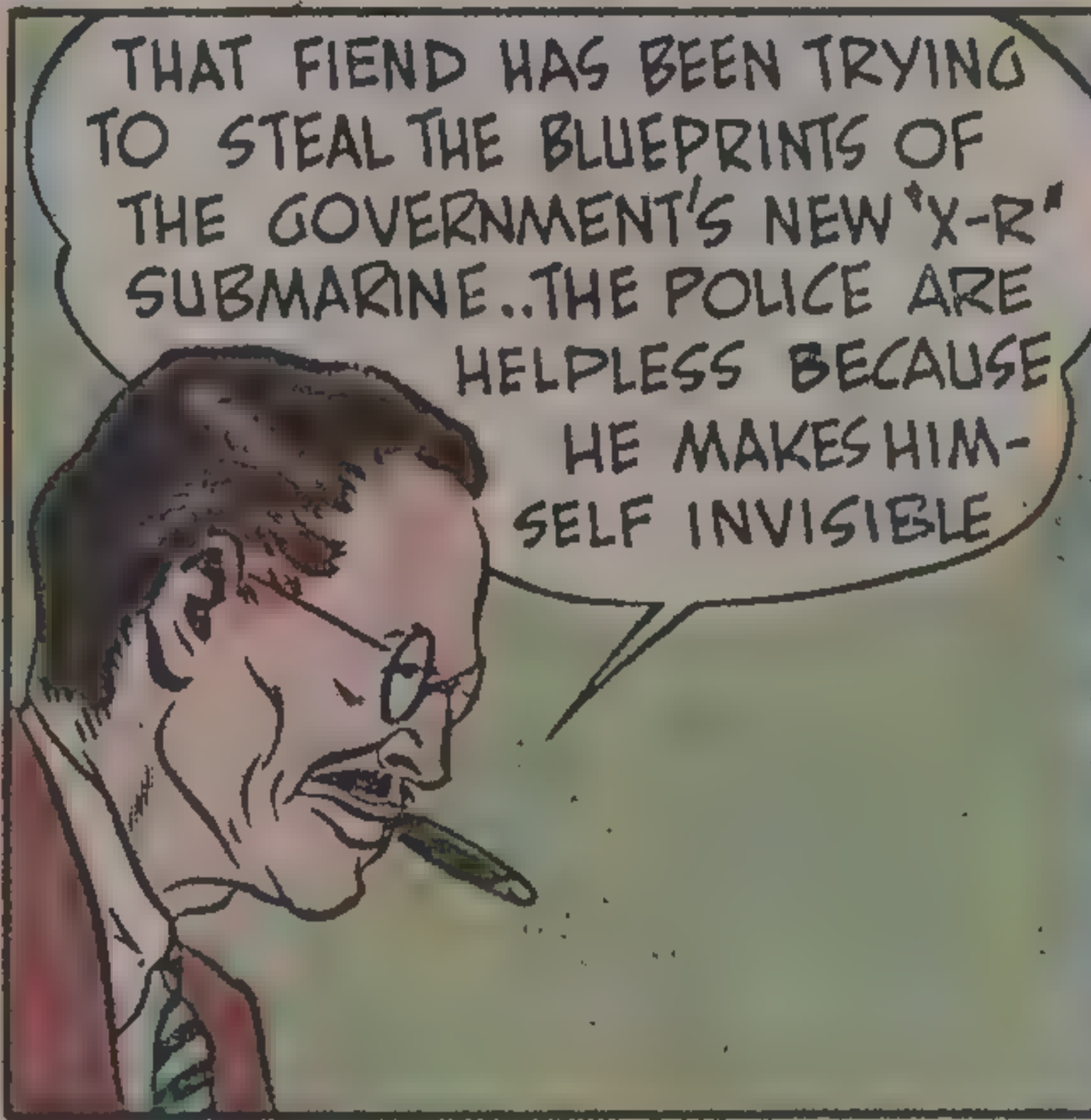
CLIFF CROSBY

RETURNING FROM HIS LATEST EXPEDITION, CLIFF MAKES HIS WAY THRU NEW YORK'S CHINA-TOWN TO THE OFFICE OF HIS FRIEND, INSPECTOR DOYLE — THEY ARE CONVERSING, WHEN...

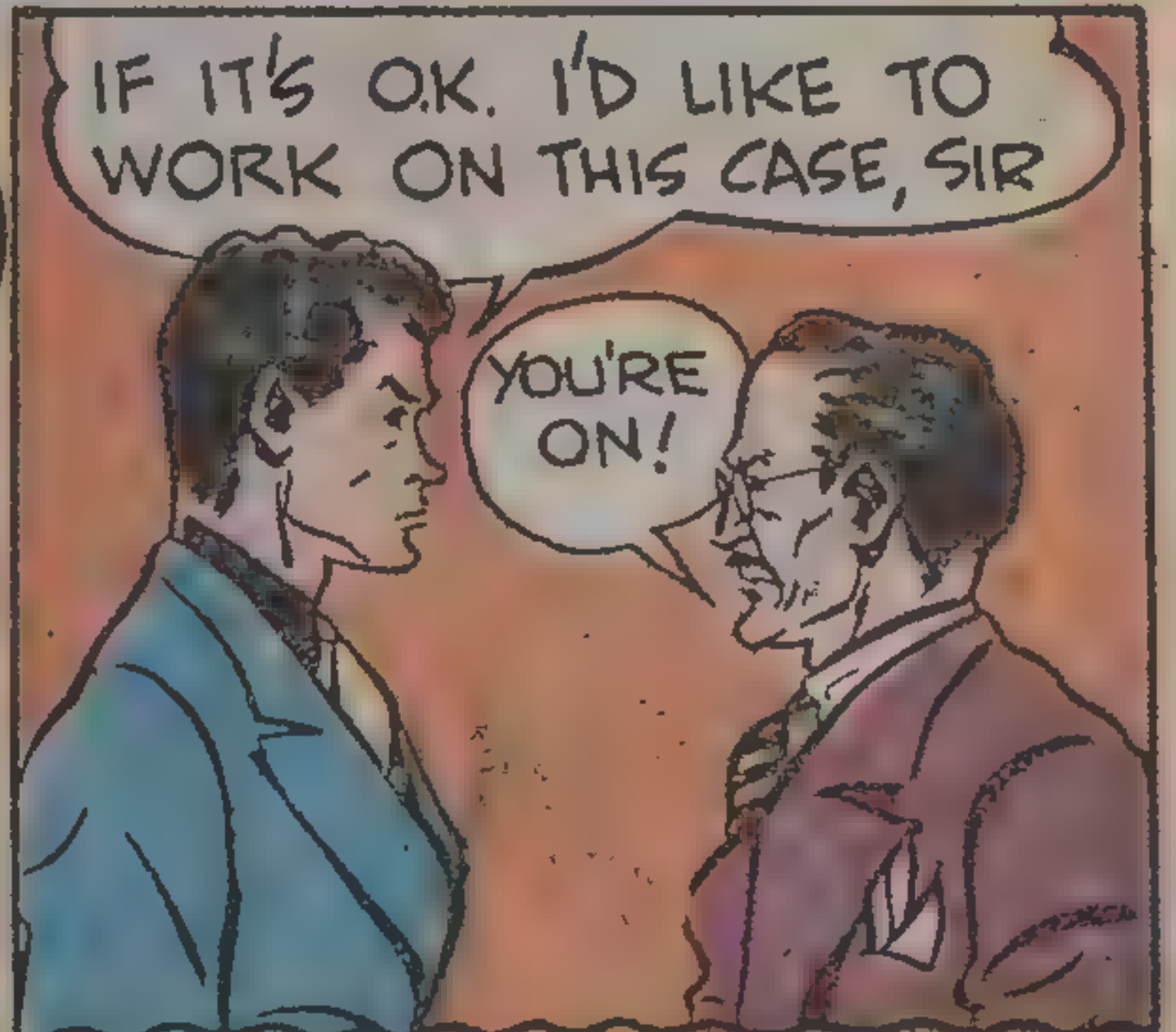
THE INSPECTOR'S AIDE DASHES IN
ANOTHER MURDER
BY THE INVISIBLE
MAN!



THAT FIEND HAS BEEN TRYING
TO STEAL THE BLUEPRINTS OF
THE GOVERNMENT'S NEW 'X-R'
SUBMARINE..THE POLICE ARE
HELPLESS BECAUSE
HE MAKES HIM-
SELF INVISIBLE



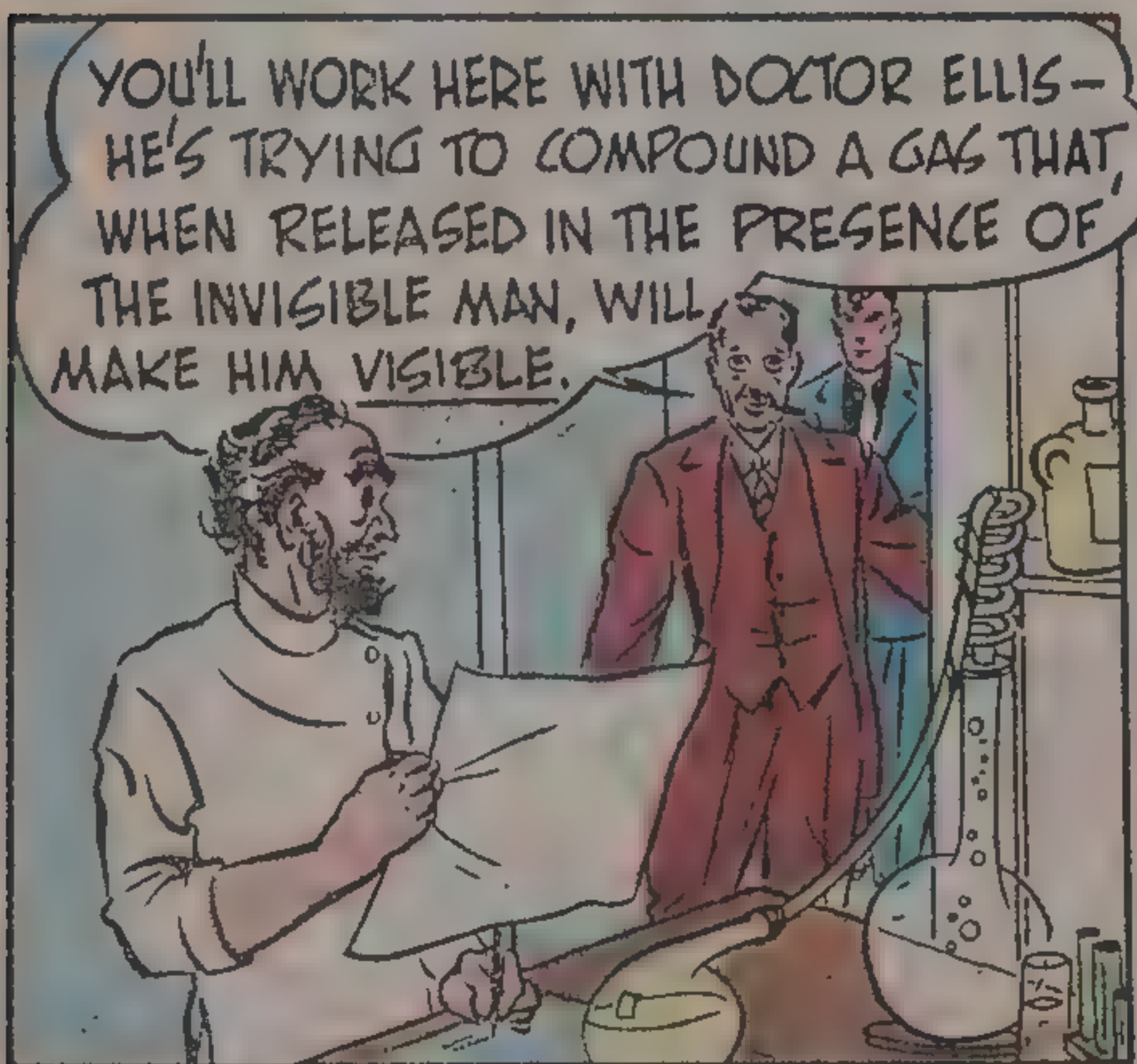
IF IT'S O.K. I'D LIKE TO
WORK ON THIS CASE, SIR



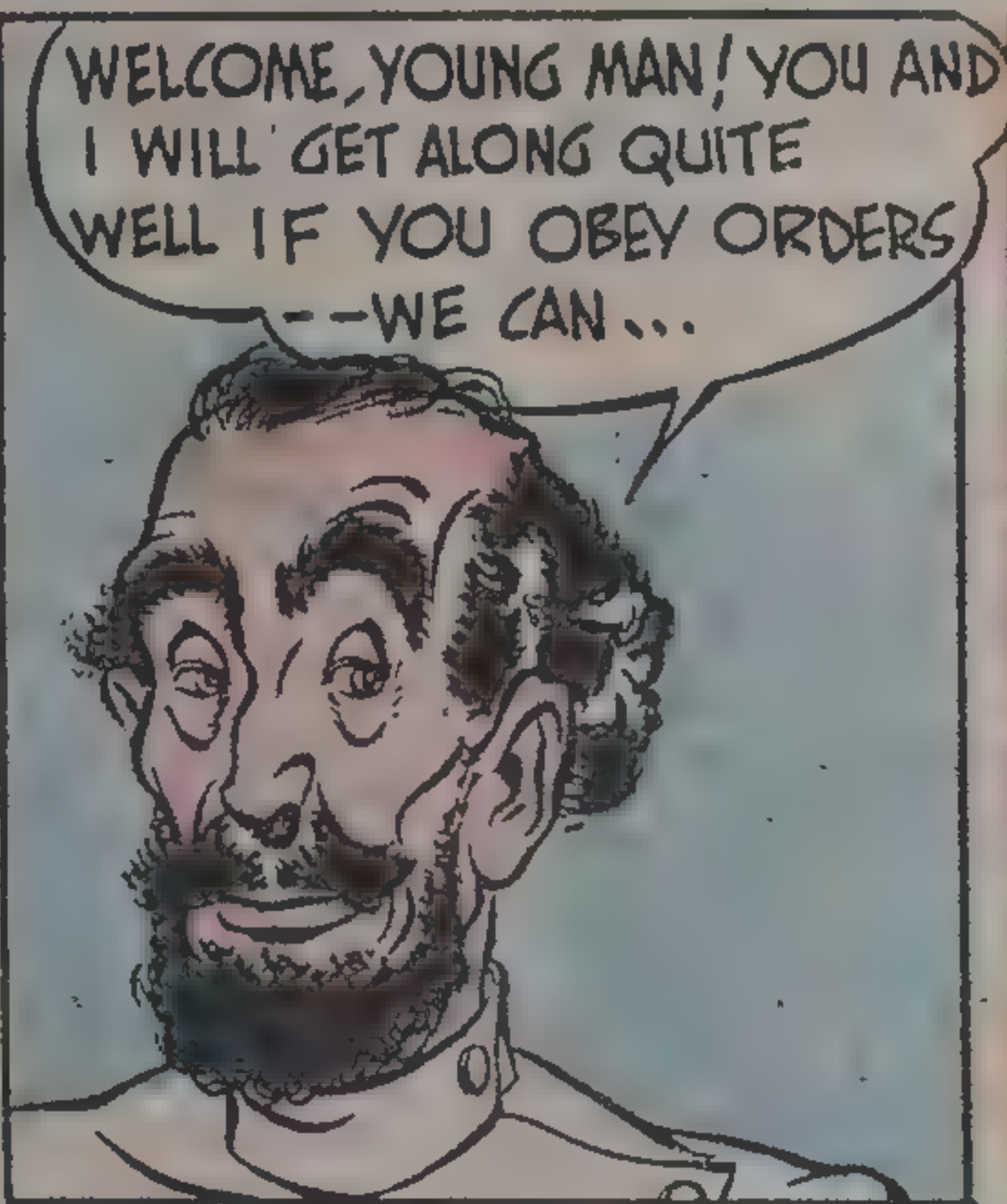
YOU'RE
ON!

THE INSPECTOR TAKES CLIFF TO A
SECRET LABORATORY IN CHINATOWN..

YOU'LL WORK HERE WITH DOCTOR ELLIS—
HE'S TRYING TO COMPOUND A GAS THAT,
WHEN RELEASED IN THE PRESENCE OF
THE INVISIBLE MAN, WILL
MAKE HIM VISIBLE.



WELCOME, YOUNG MAN! YOU AND
I WILL GET ALONG QUITE
WELL IF YOU OBEY ORDERS
--WE CAN...



BEFORE THE DOCTOR CAN FINISH,
A GROUP OF THUGS APPEAR...



TWO OF THE THUGS RUSH
CLIFF, BUT HE TURNS JUST
IN TIME....



LIGHTS OUT,
SWEETHEART!



AS HE SWINGS ABOUT,
CLIFF LOSES FOOTING
AND FALLS- ANOTHER
THUG COMES AT HIM



..AND OVER THE
GOAL POST FOR THAT
EXTRA POINT!



CLIFF DISPOSES OF THE OTHER INTRUDERS AND THE INSPECTOR PLACES THE DAZED THUGS UNDER ARREST... LEFT ALONE WITH THE DOCTOR, CLIFF TURNS....

AH, MY PRECIOUS EXPERIMENTS WERE NOT RUINED IN THE DISRUPTION. AH-H-H - COME IN MY DEN, I'VE SOMETHING TO SHOW YOU...

YOU SEE, THIS INVISIBLE MAN IS TRYING TO SECURE THE 'X-R' SUB PLANS FOR A WARRING NATION

THESE PAPERS ARE THE RESULT OF MY RESEARCH ON GAS, AND MY EXPERIMENTS-STUDY THEM, WE'LL RENDER THIS INVISIBLE CHAP VISIBLE YET

ON THE WAY HOME, CLIFF GLANCES THRU THE PAPERS

THESE MAY BE RIGHT, BUT...

I'M GOING TO TRY THESE EXPERIMENTS MY OWN WAY

LET THE VICTIM REACH HIS DESTINATION...

CLIFF IS UNAWARE THAT HE IS BEING FOLLOWED BY A CAR.

LATER, AT HIS HOME, CLIFF IS PREPARING FOR BED..

PUT HANDS UP!

DROPPING FROM HIS CHAIR AND WHIRLING ABOUT, CLIFF SWINGS..

BACK TO THE LAUNDRY, CHINA BOY!

AND TELL YOUR INVISIBLE MAN I WON'T STOP 'TILL HE'S CAUGHT!

NEXT NIGHT

A LITTLE MORE HEAT AND THIS GAS WILL WORK!

THAT DOES IT! - IT WORKS! - NOW BRING ON THAT INVISIBLE MAN..

LOCKED! I'LL TRY THE BACK DOOR!

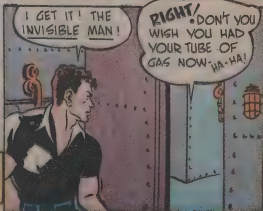
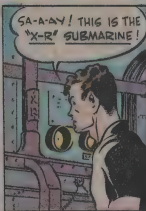
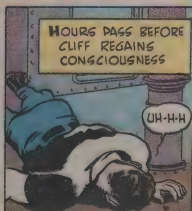
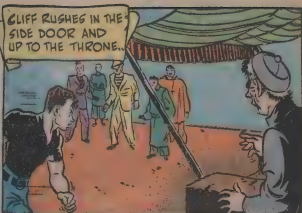
CLIFF TAKES A SAMPLE OF THE PERFECTED GAS OVER TO DOCTOR ELLIS

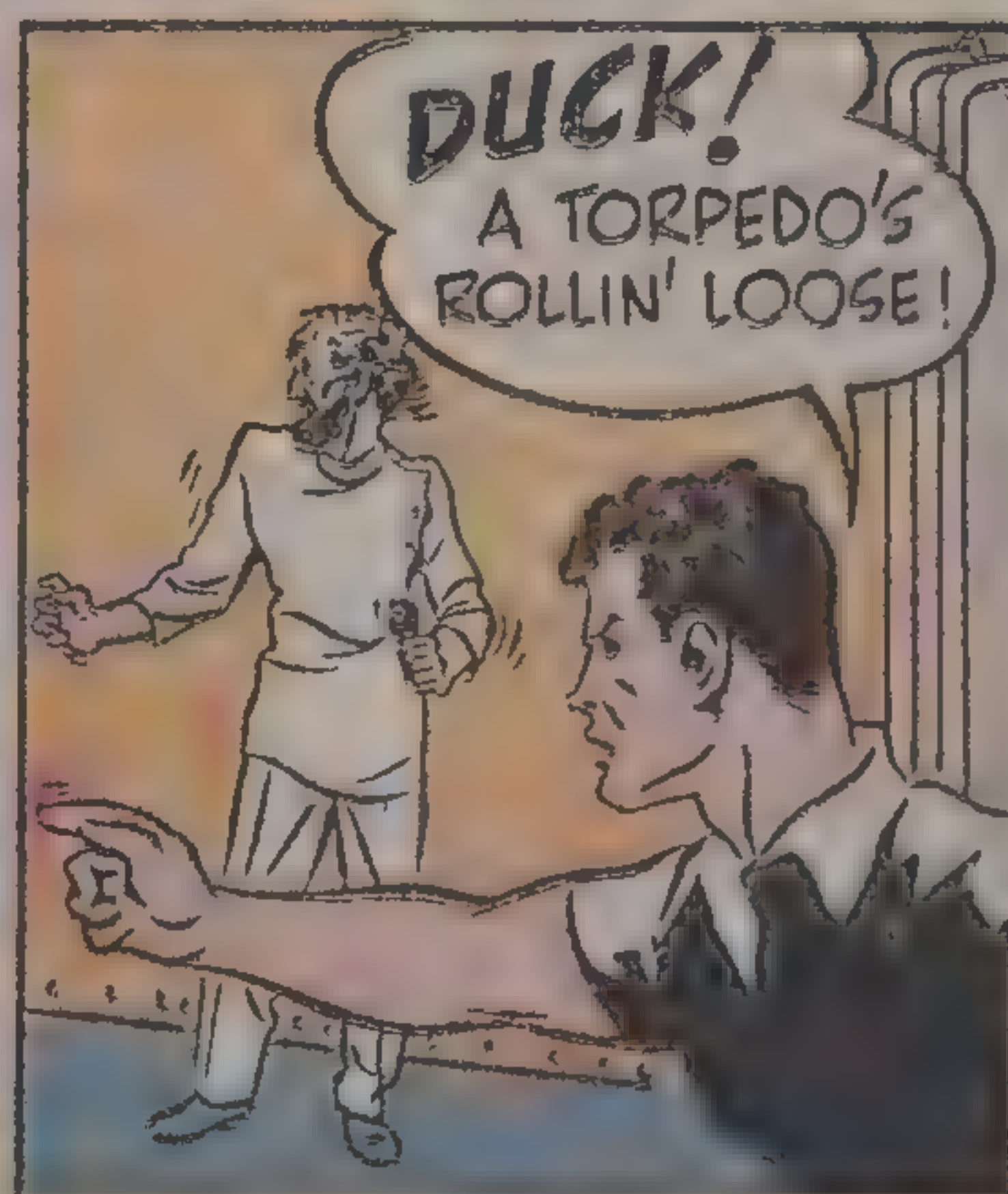
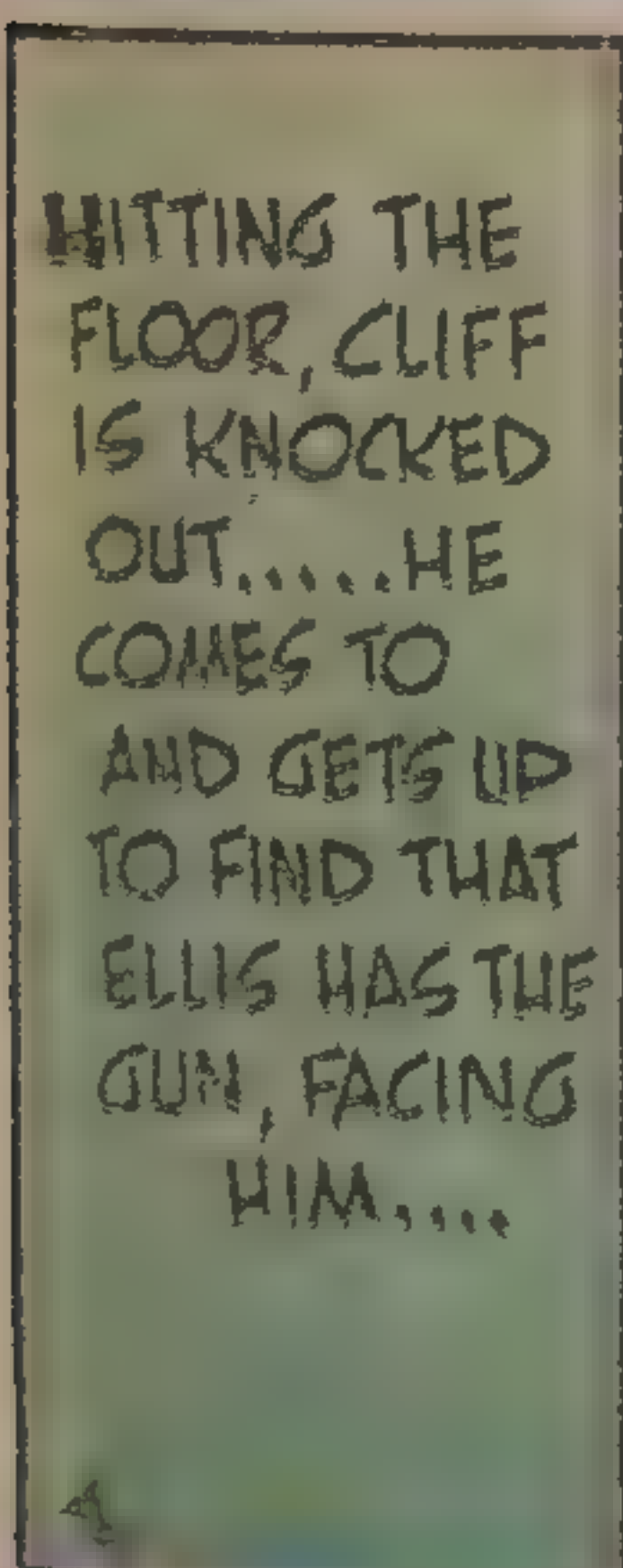
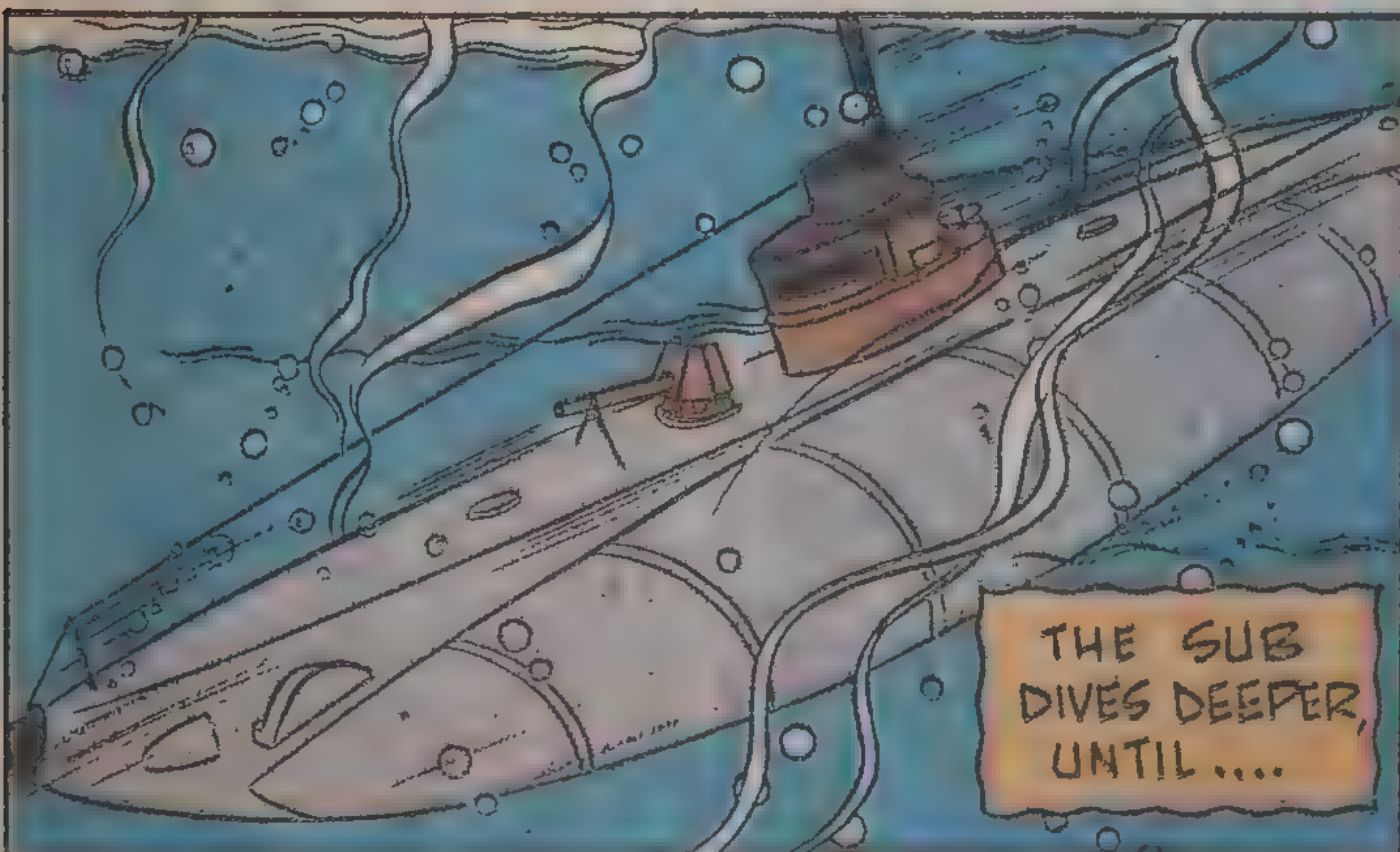
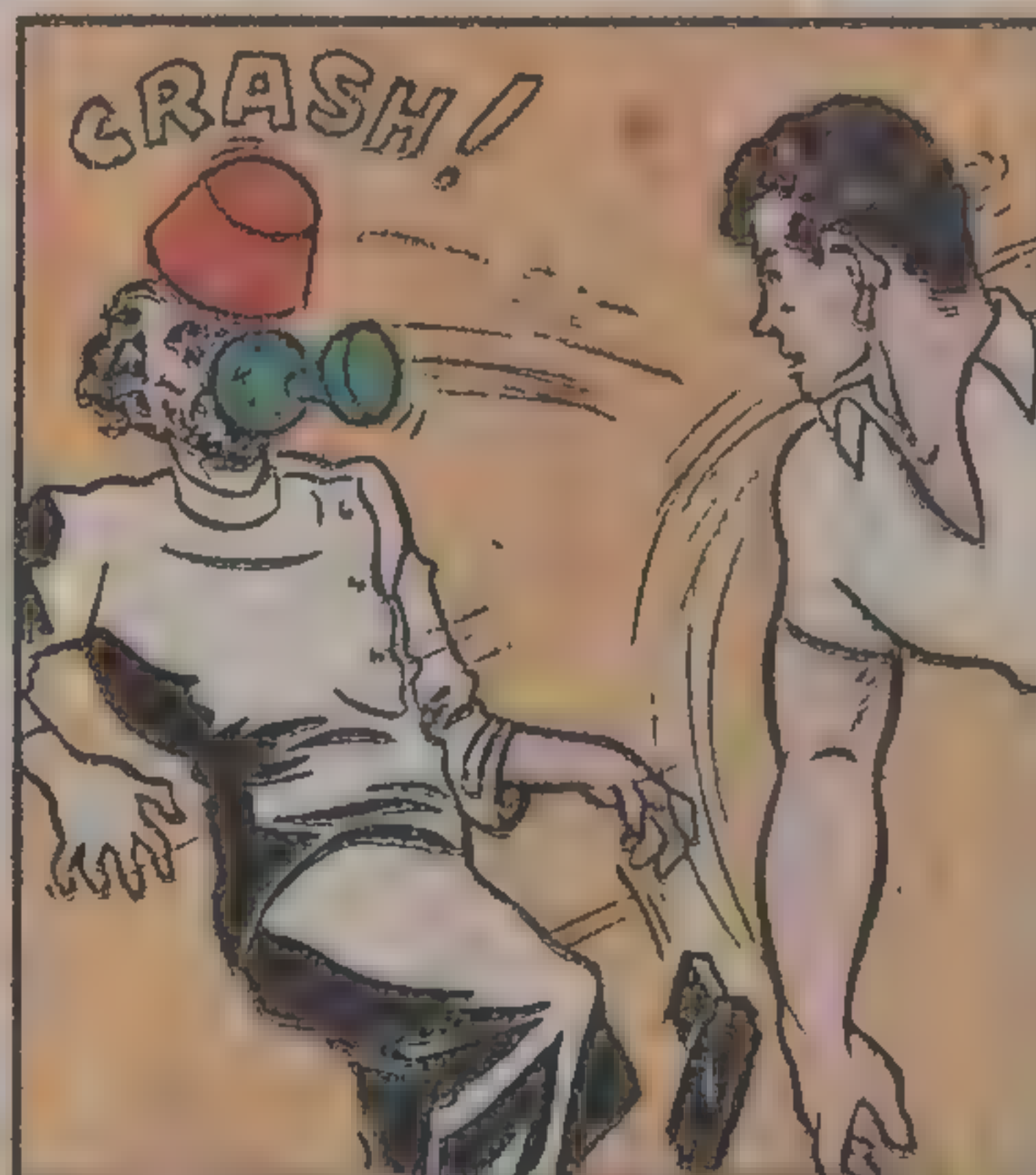
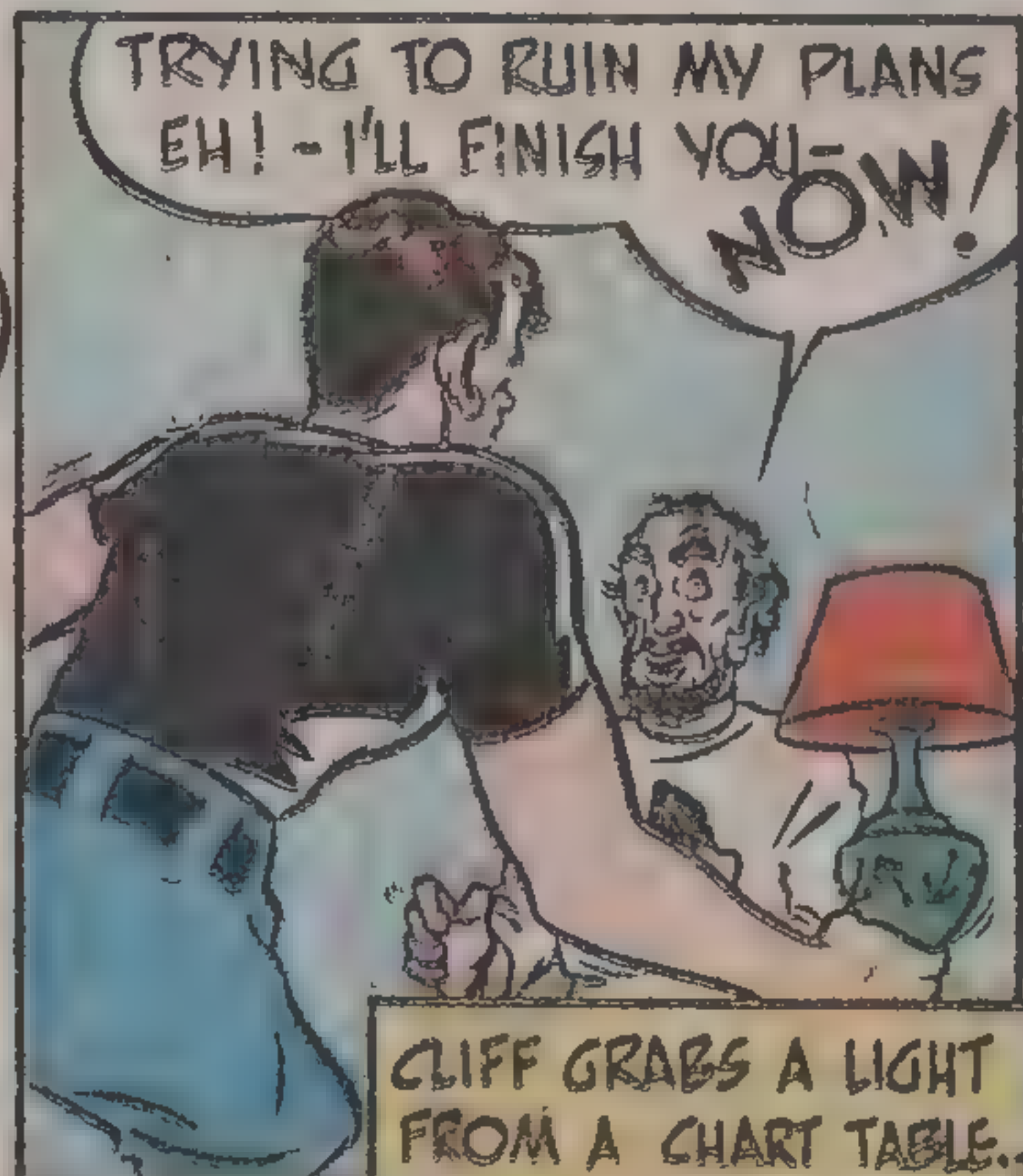
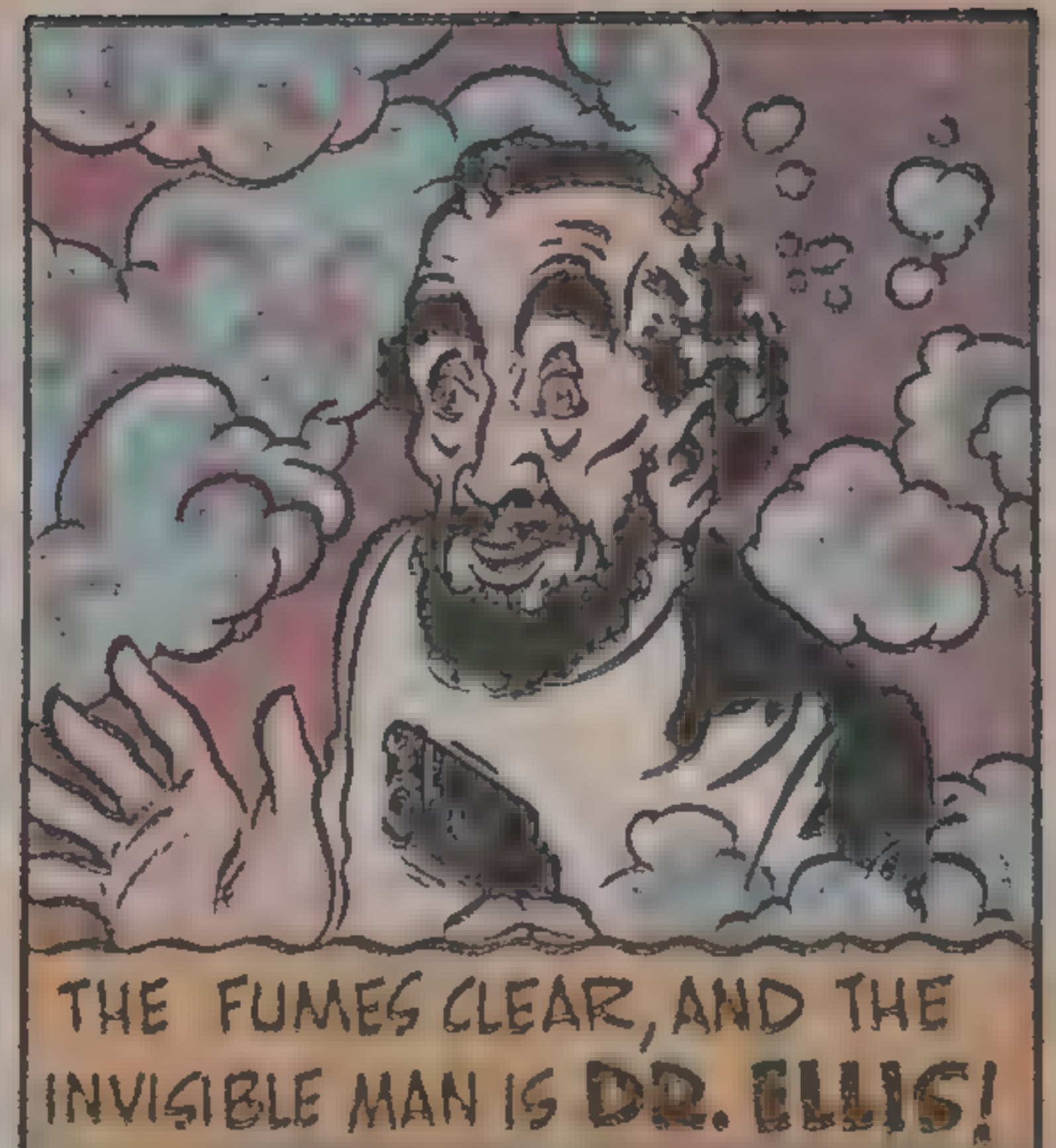
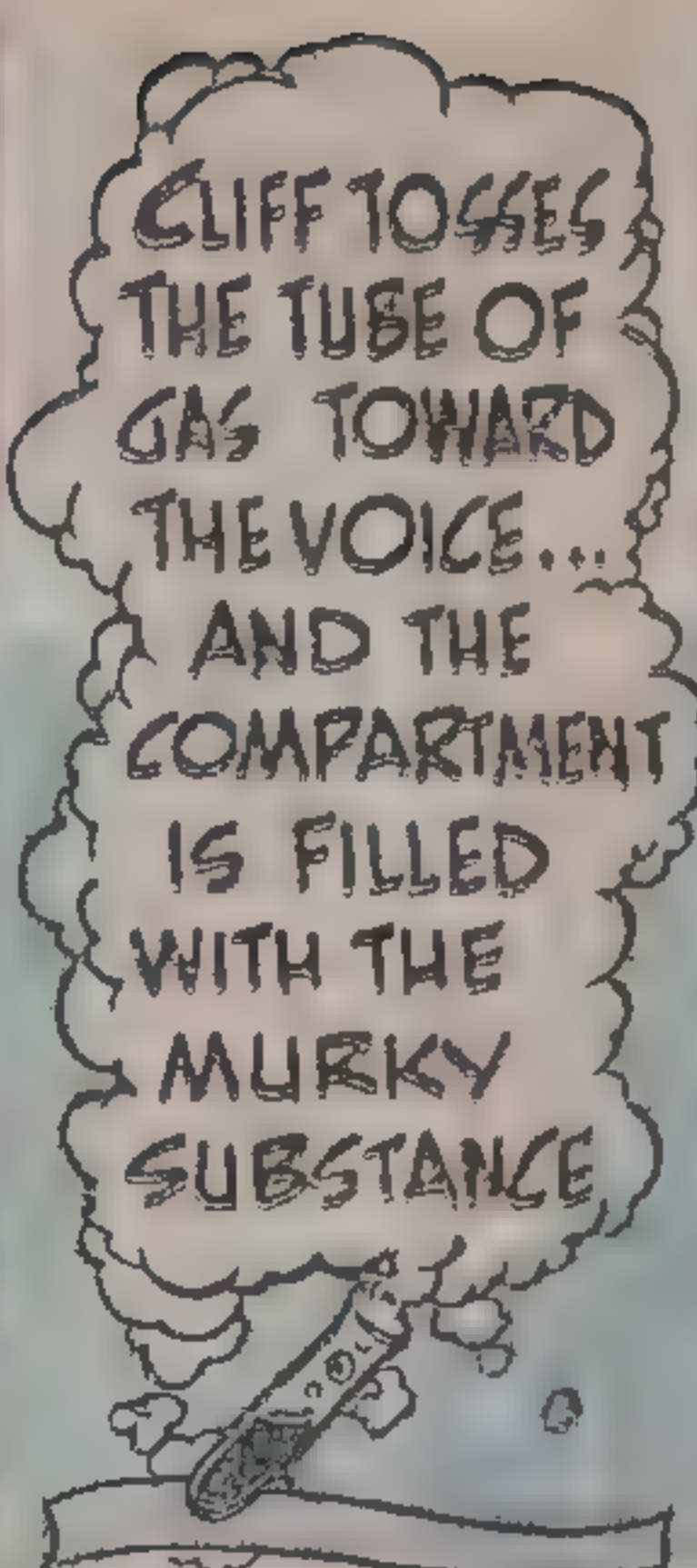
AS HE GOES AROUND TO THE REAR, CLIFF LOOKS IN ONE OF THE WINDOWS....

WHAT'S THIS!?

WHAT HE SEES...

LISTEN WELL TO YOUR INVISIBLE MASTER, YOU DOGS!







CLIFF STOPS THE TORPEDO WITH HIS BODY....

NOW TO RELEASE AN S.O.S. BOUV!



THAT NIGHT IN THE CITY

EXTRA! SUB STOLEN!



ON THE BRIDGE OF A U.S. DESTROYER.....

S.O.S. BOUV IN SIGHT, SIR! IT'S THE STOLEN "X-R" SUB!



THE CAPT. GIVES ORDERS TO STAND BY FOR A RESCUE.. IN THE SUB, CLIFF HAS SIGHTED THE SHIP THRU THE PERISCOPE

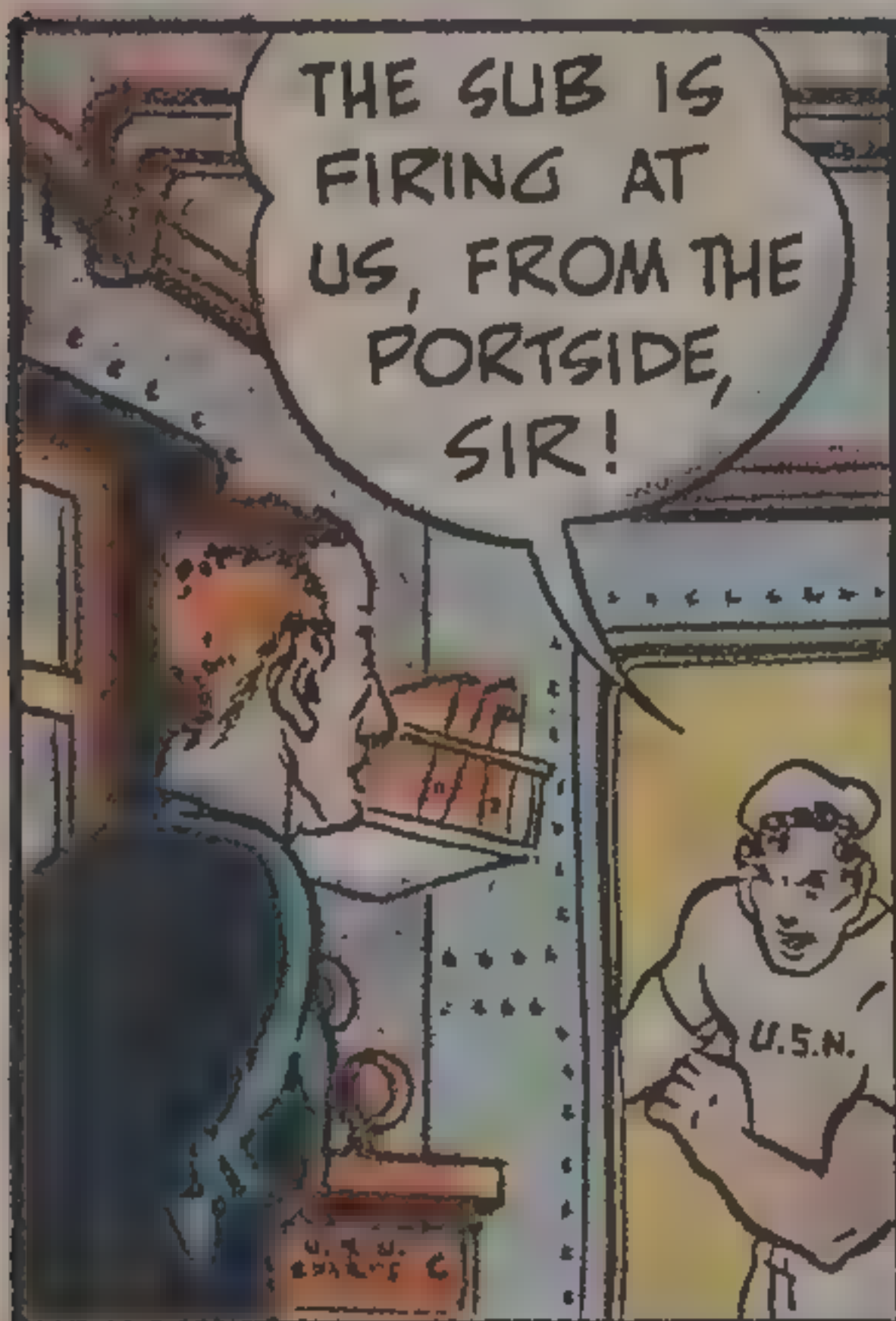
WELCOME, YOU UNCLE SAM!



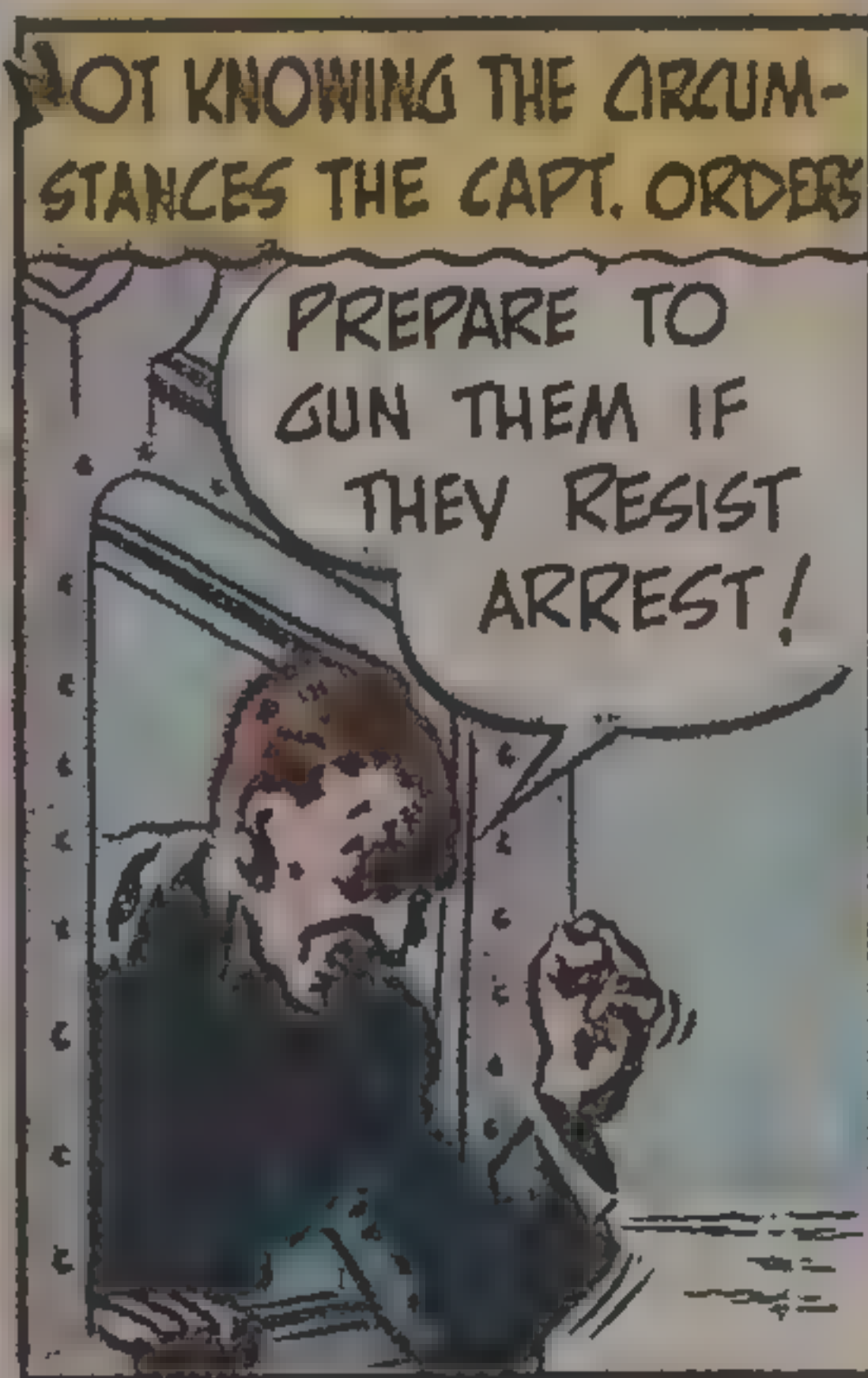
FUZZ-FACE, I'M TURNING YOU OVER TO THE POLICE - HEY!



THEY WON'T GET ME..... I'LL BLOW THAT SHIP TO PIECES WITH THIS TORPEDO!

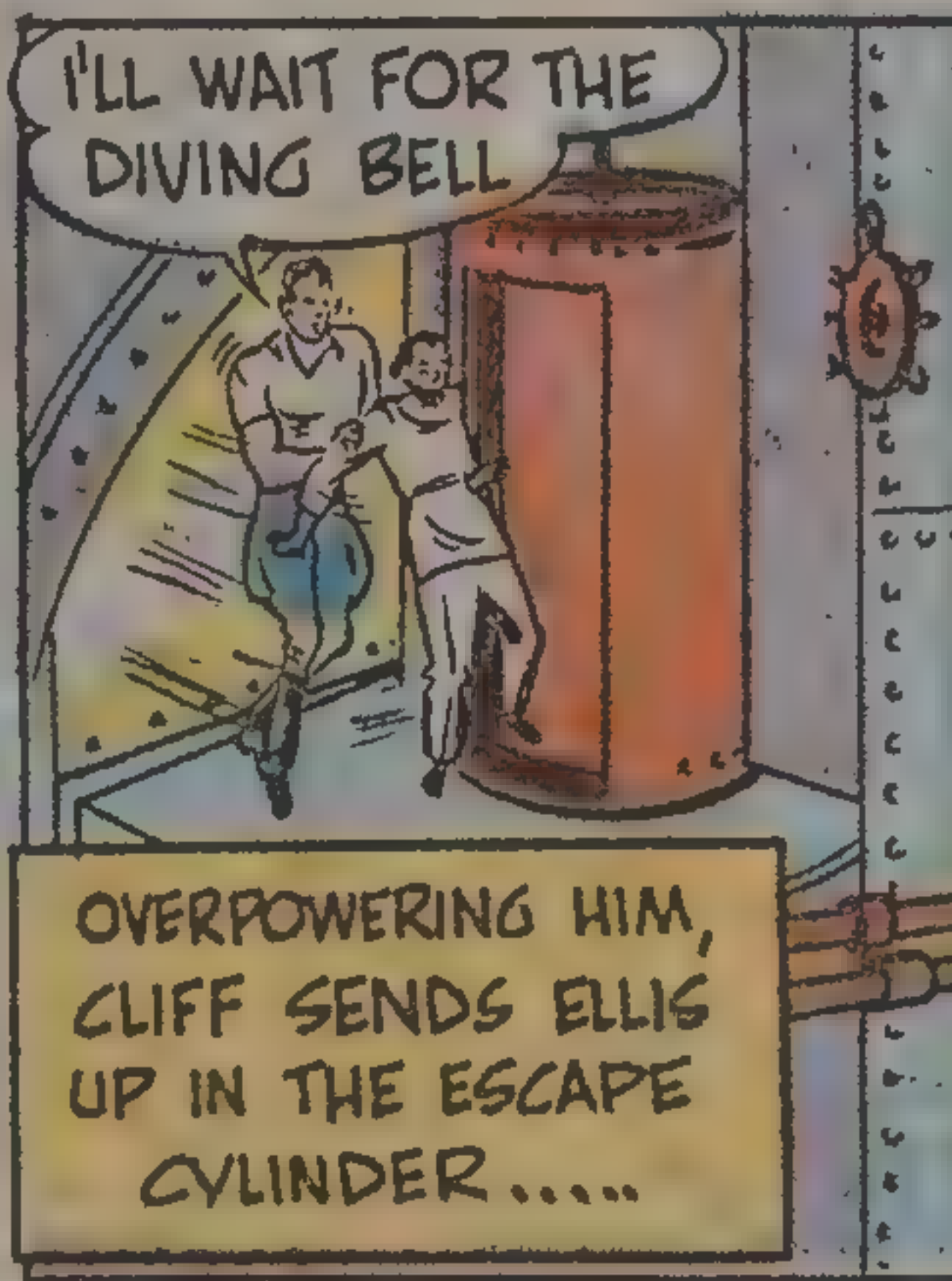


THE SUB IS FIRING AT US, FROM THE PORTSIDE, SIR!



NOT KNOWING THE CIRCUMSTANCES THE CAPT. ORDERS

PREPARE TO GUN THEM IF THEY RESIST ARREST!

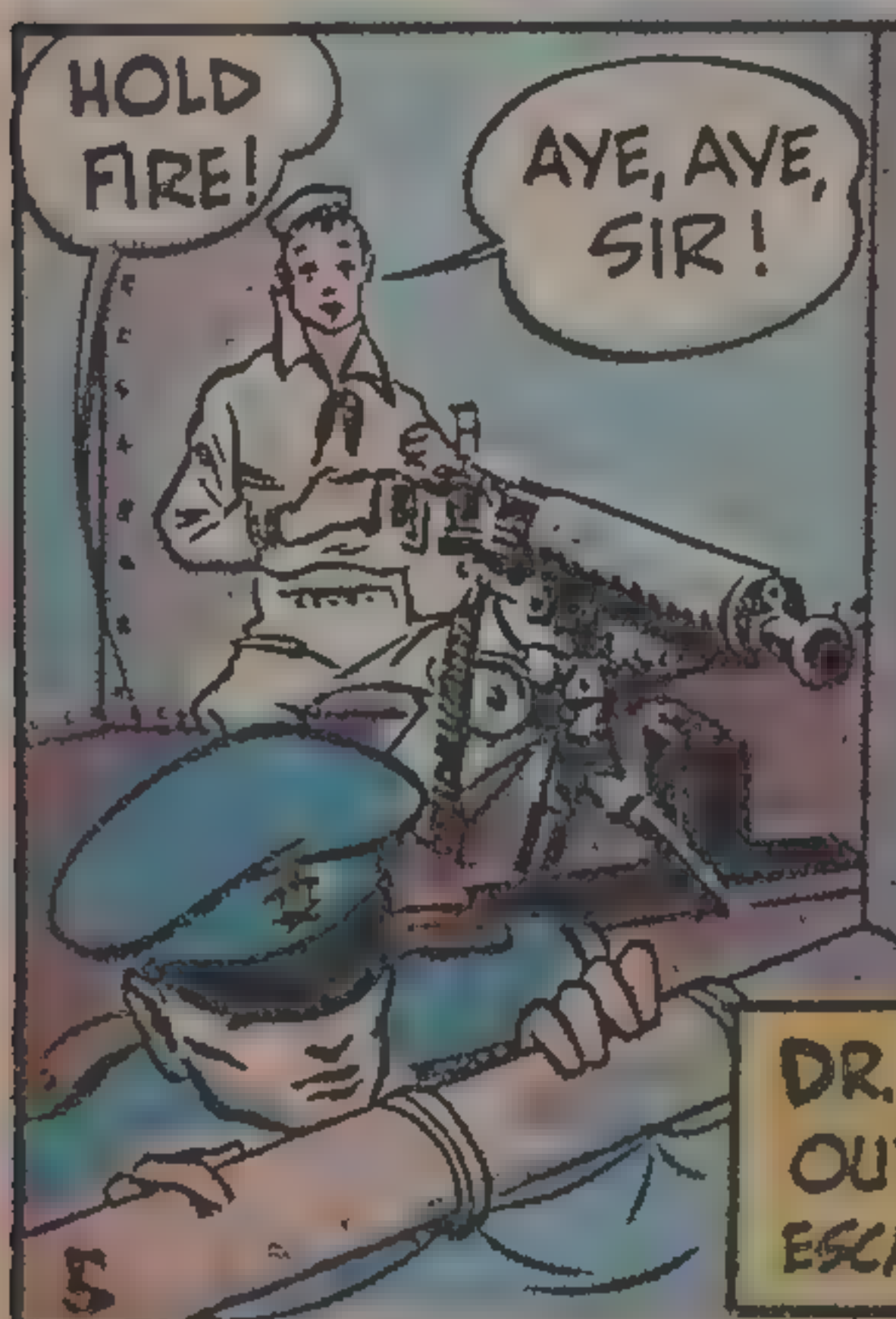


I'LL WAIT FOR THE DIVING BELL

OVERPOWERING HIM, CLIFF SENDS ELLIS UP IN THE ESCAPE CYLINDER.....



UP YOU GO, AND DON'T SCARE THE FISH WITH THAT MUG OF YOURS



HOLD FIRE!

AYE, AYE, SIR!

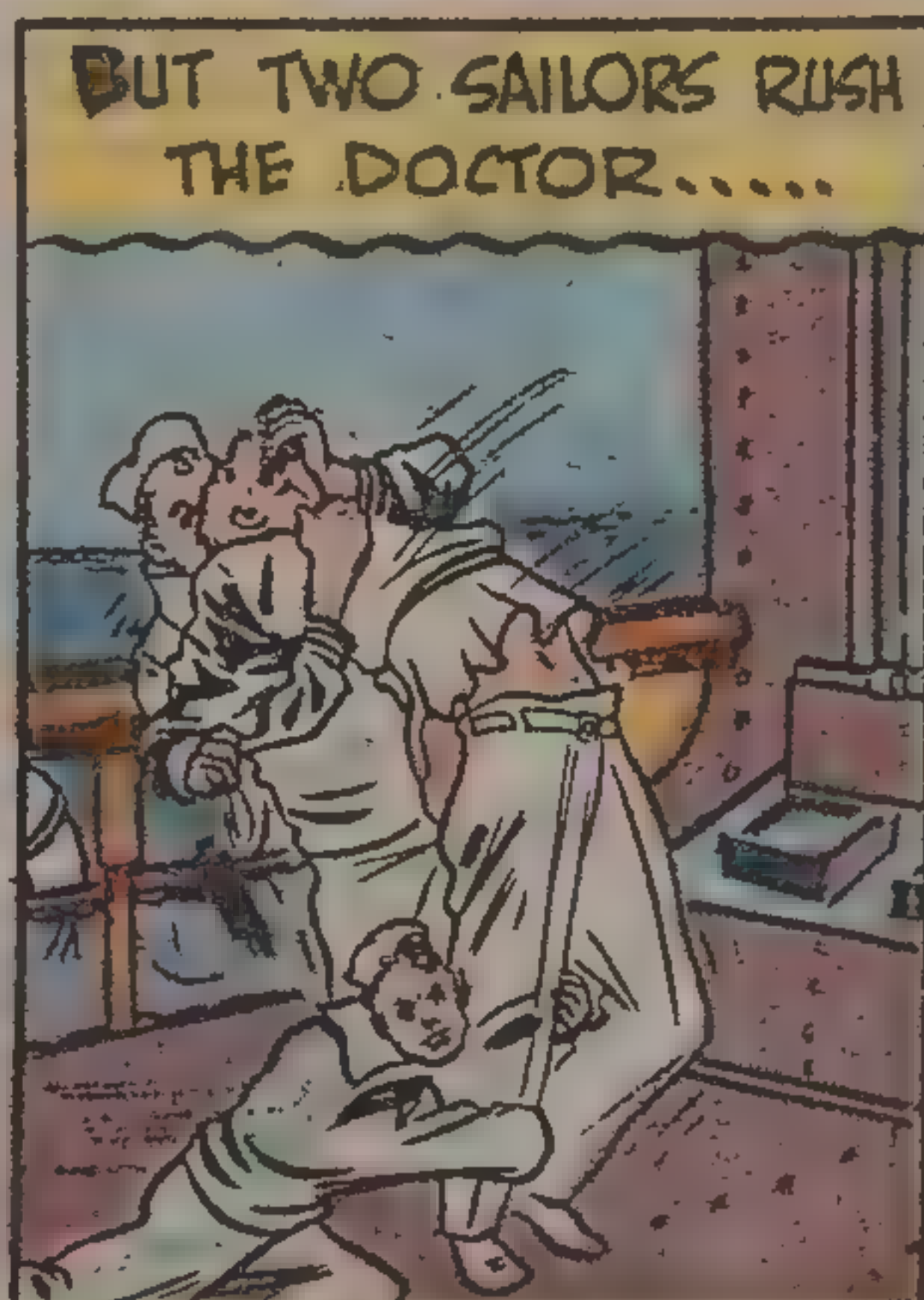


I DIDN'T SHOOT THE TORPEDO-THAT WAS THE OTHER FELLOW! TAKE ME TO THE CAPTAIN

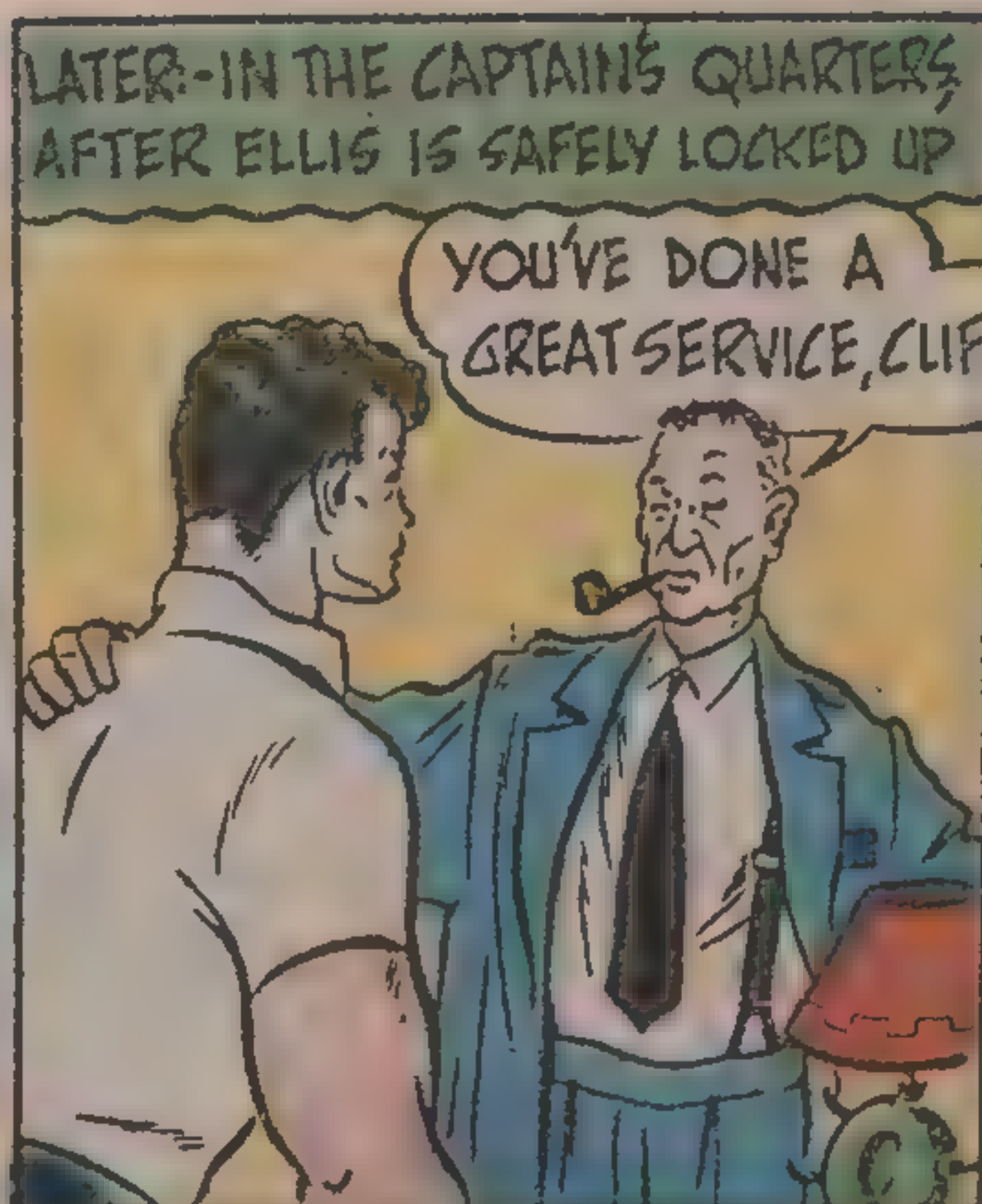
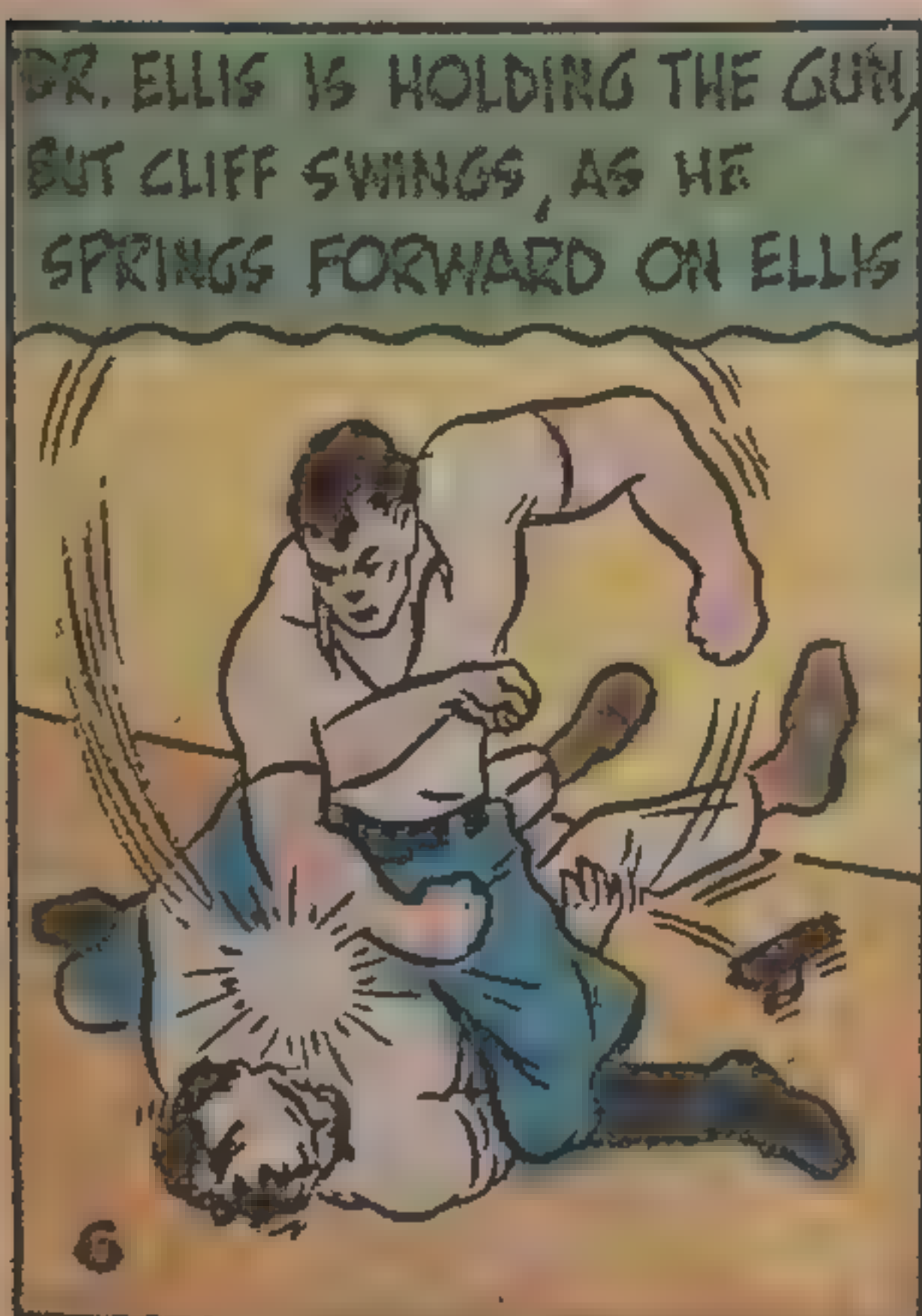
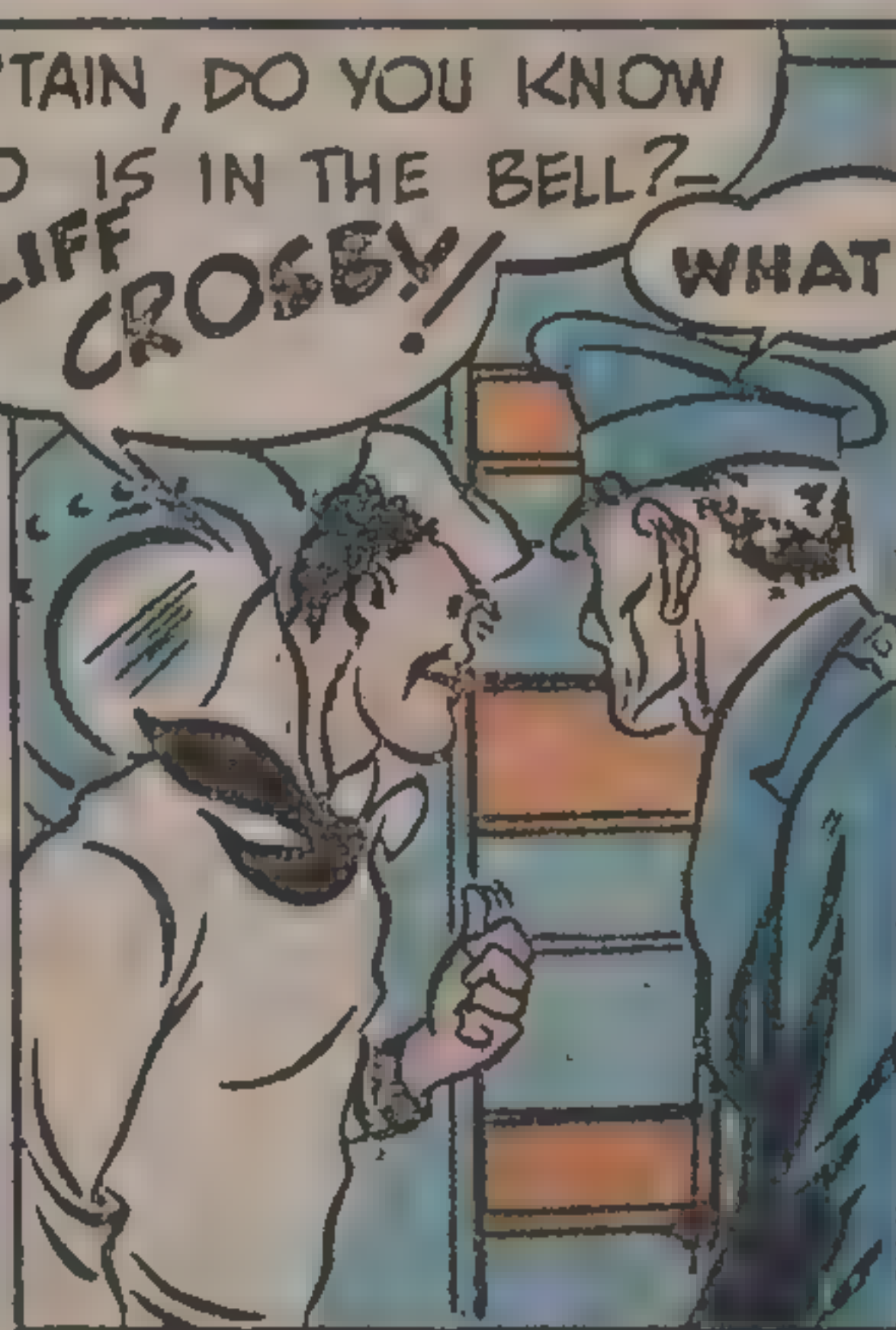
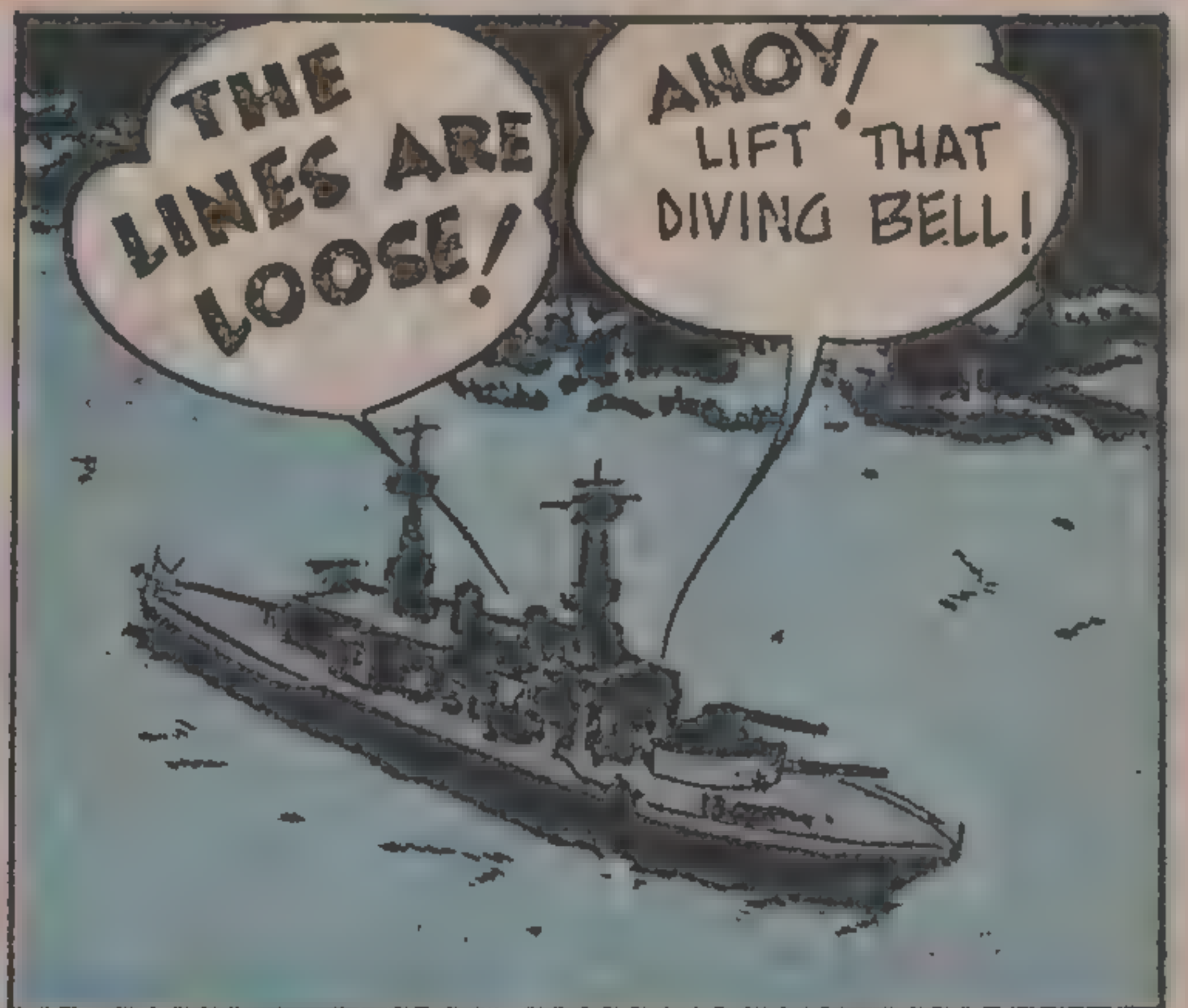
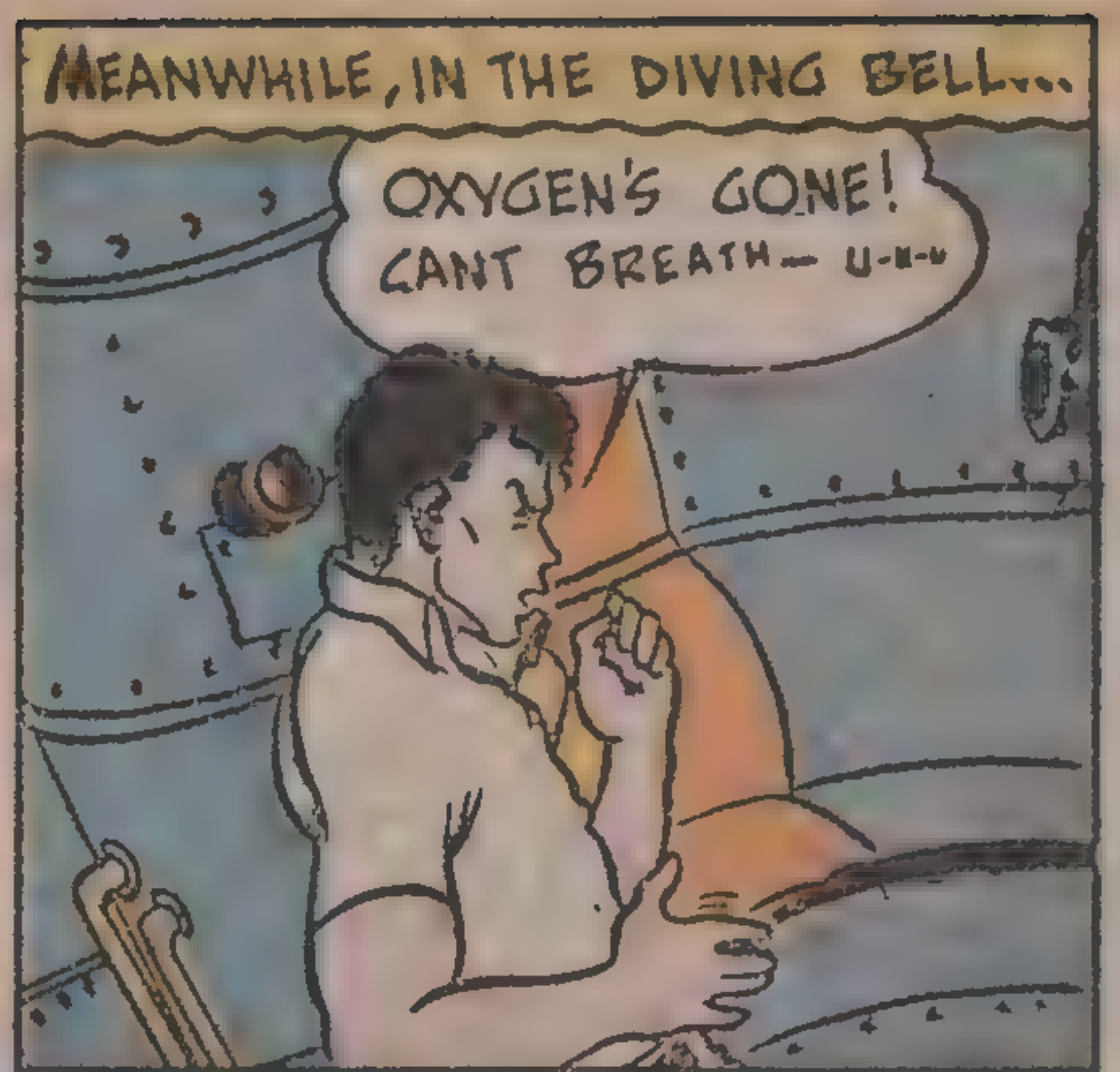
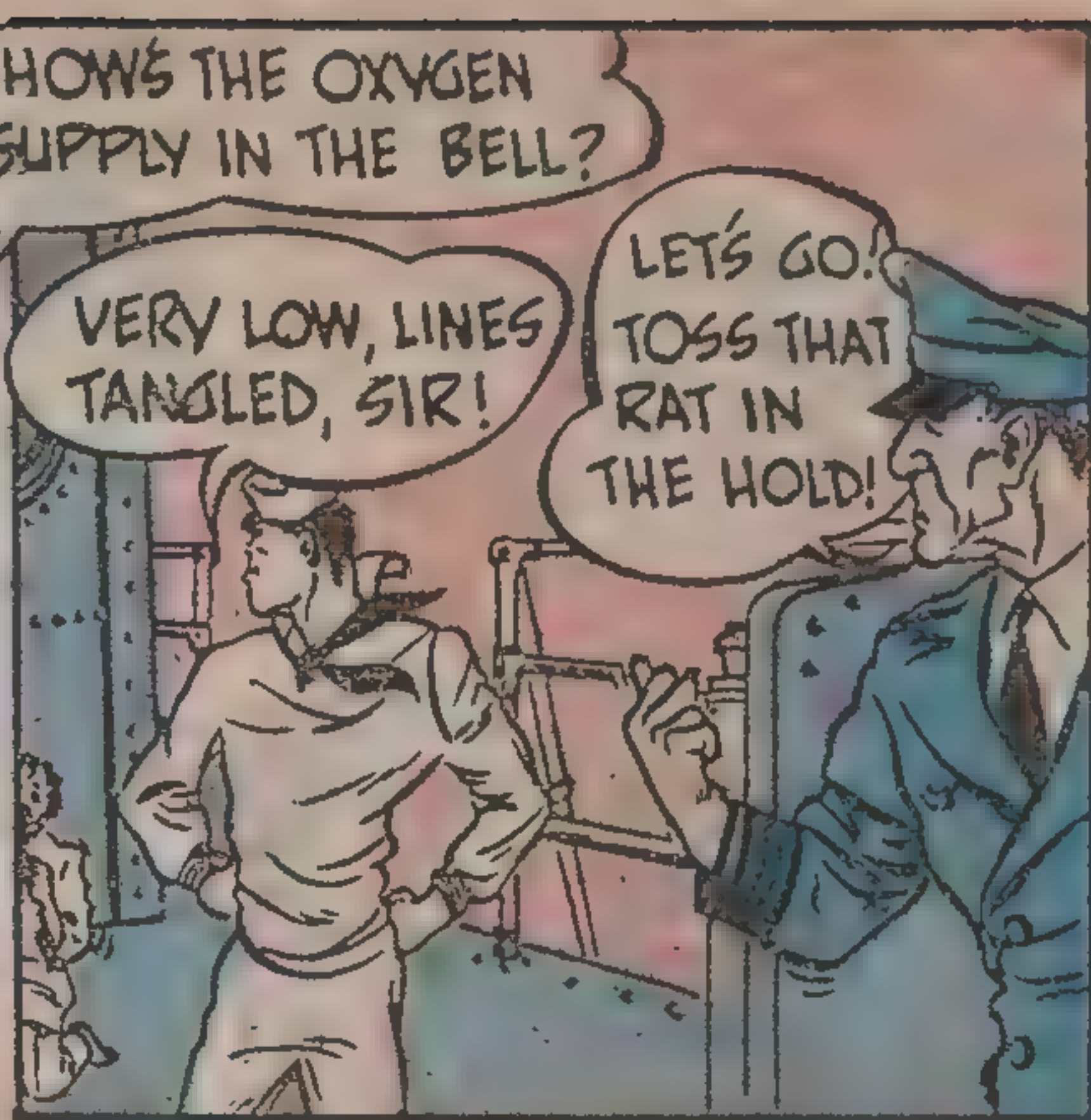


LEFT ALONE WITH THE CAPTAIN, THE DOCTOR PULLS A GUN!.....

I'M TAKING CHARGE!



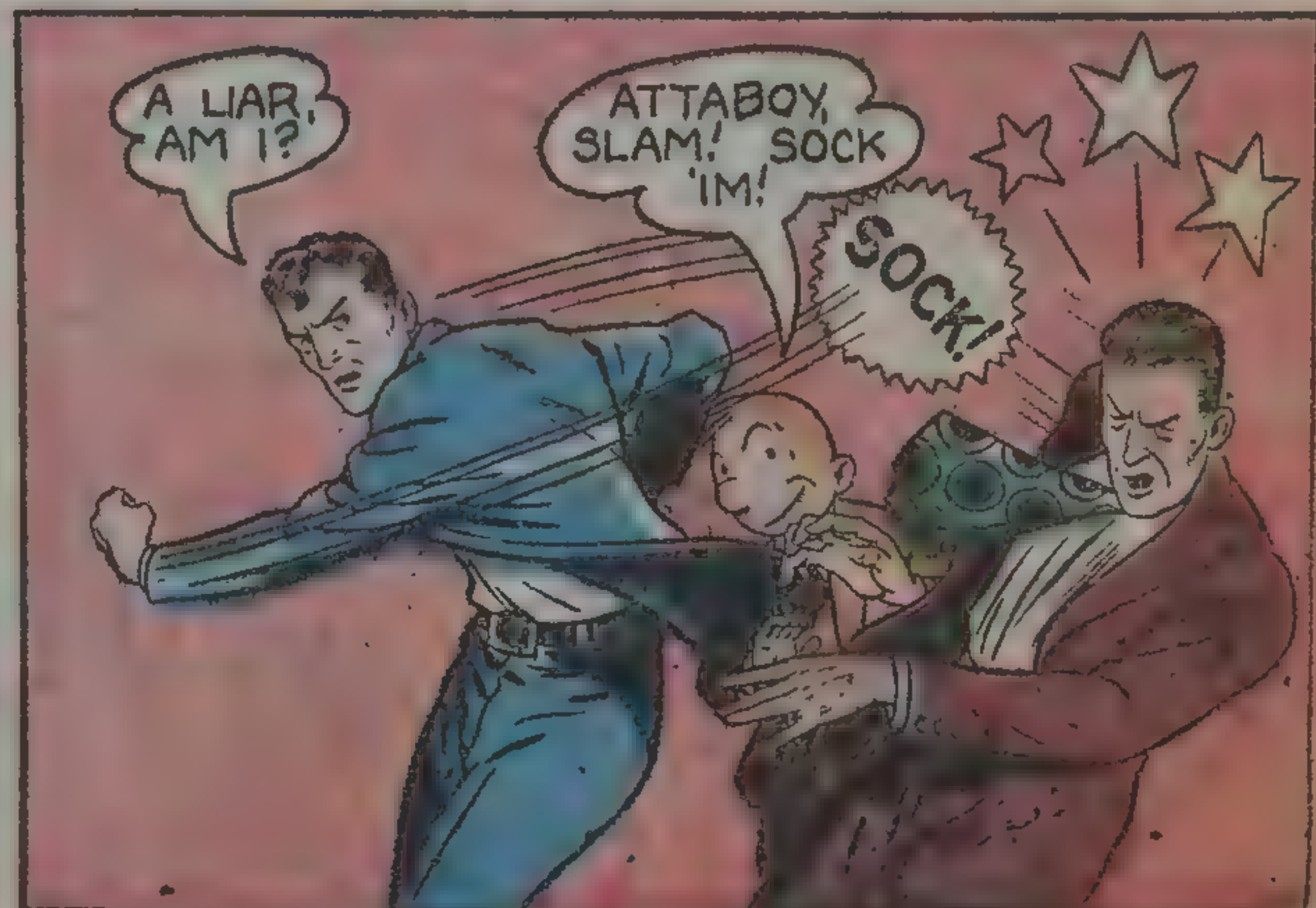
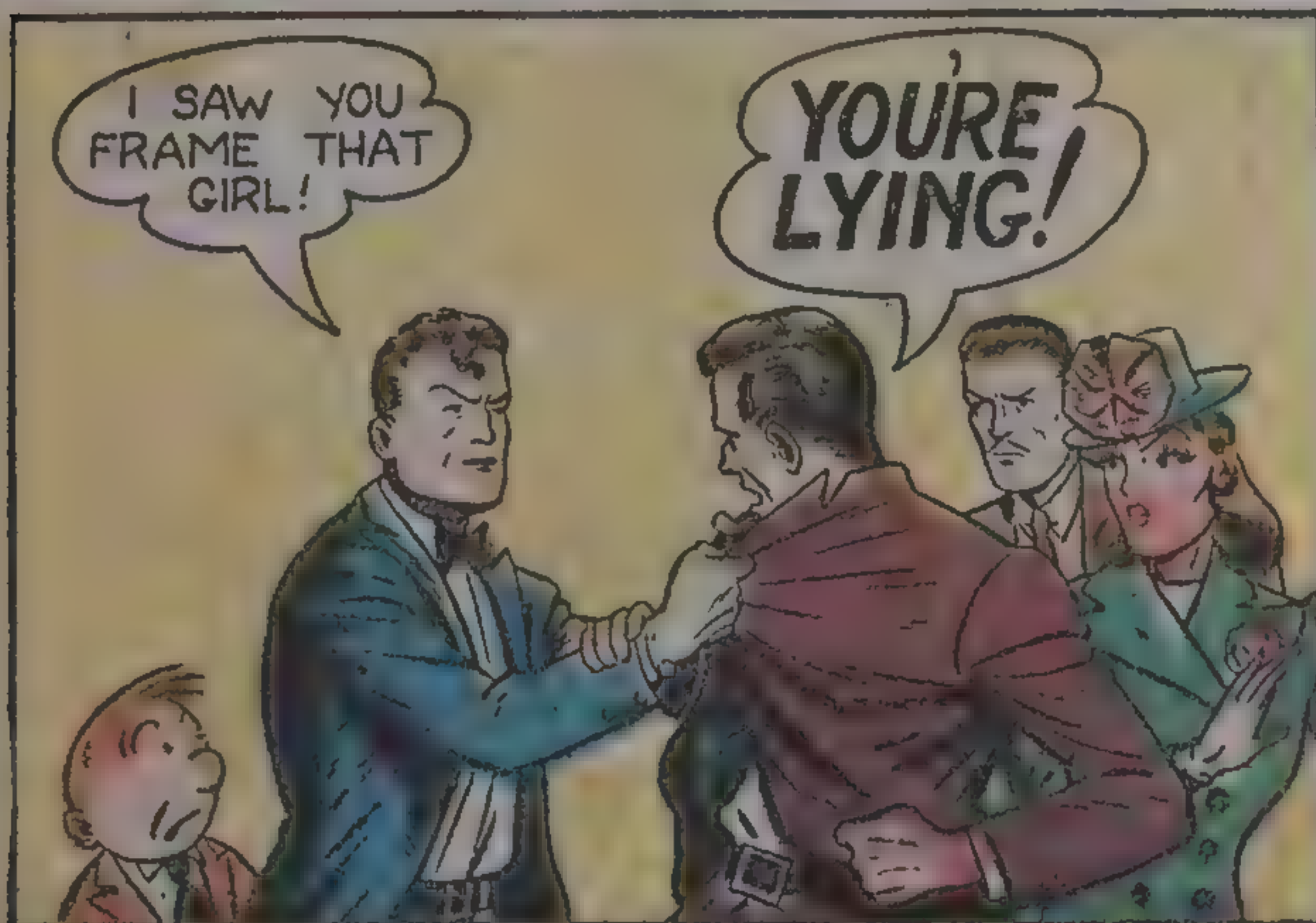
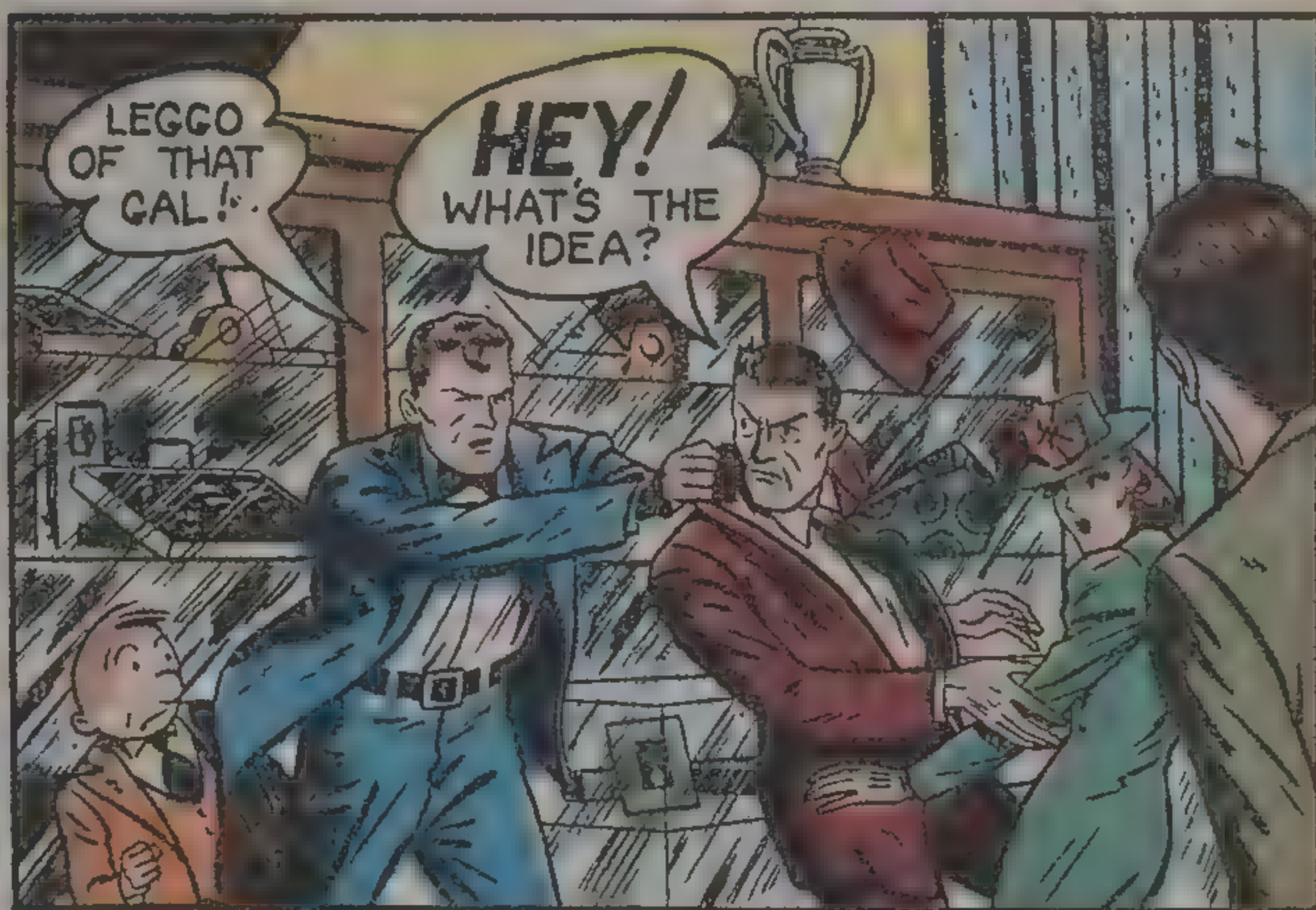
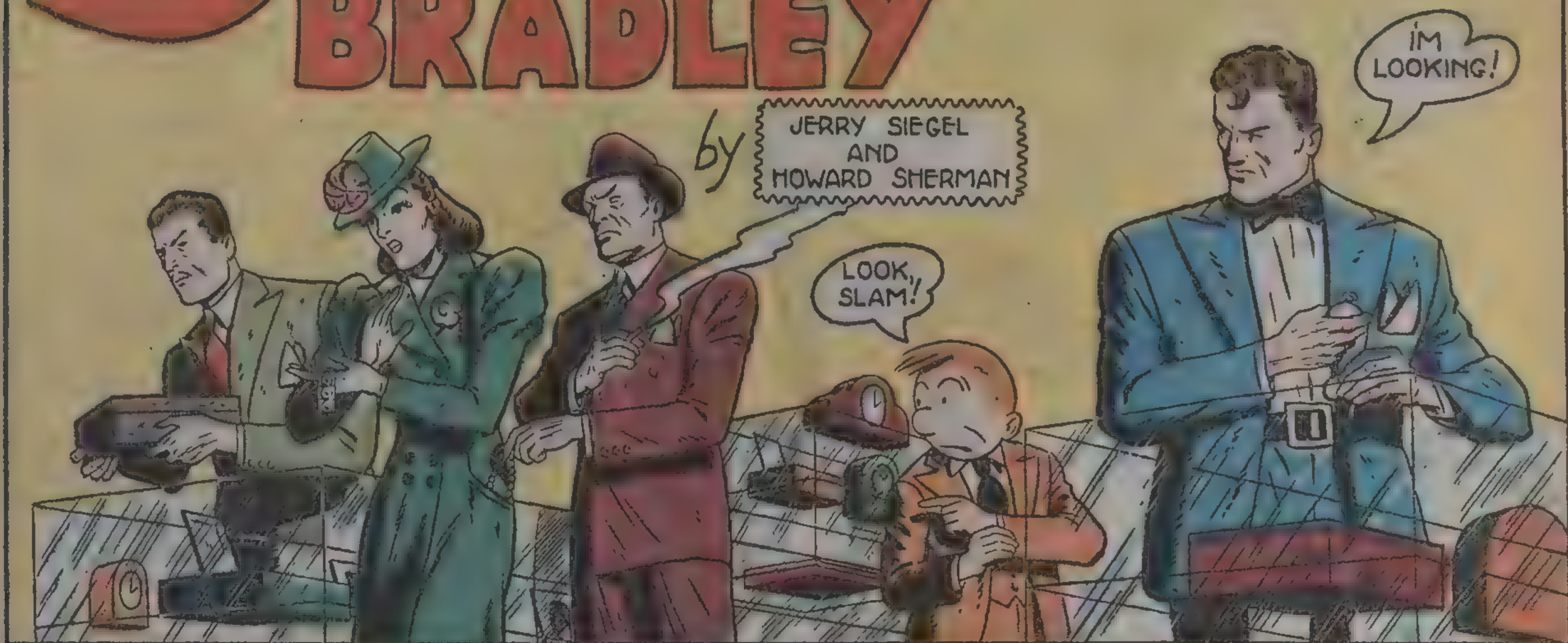
BUT TWO SAILORS RUSH THE DOCTOR.....

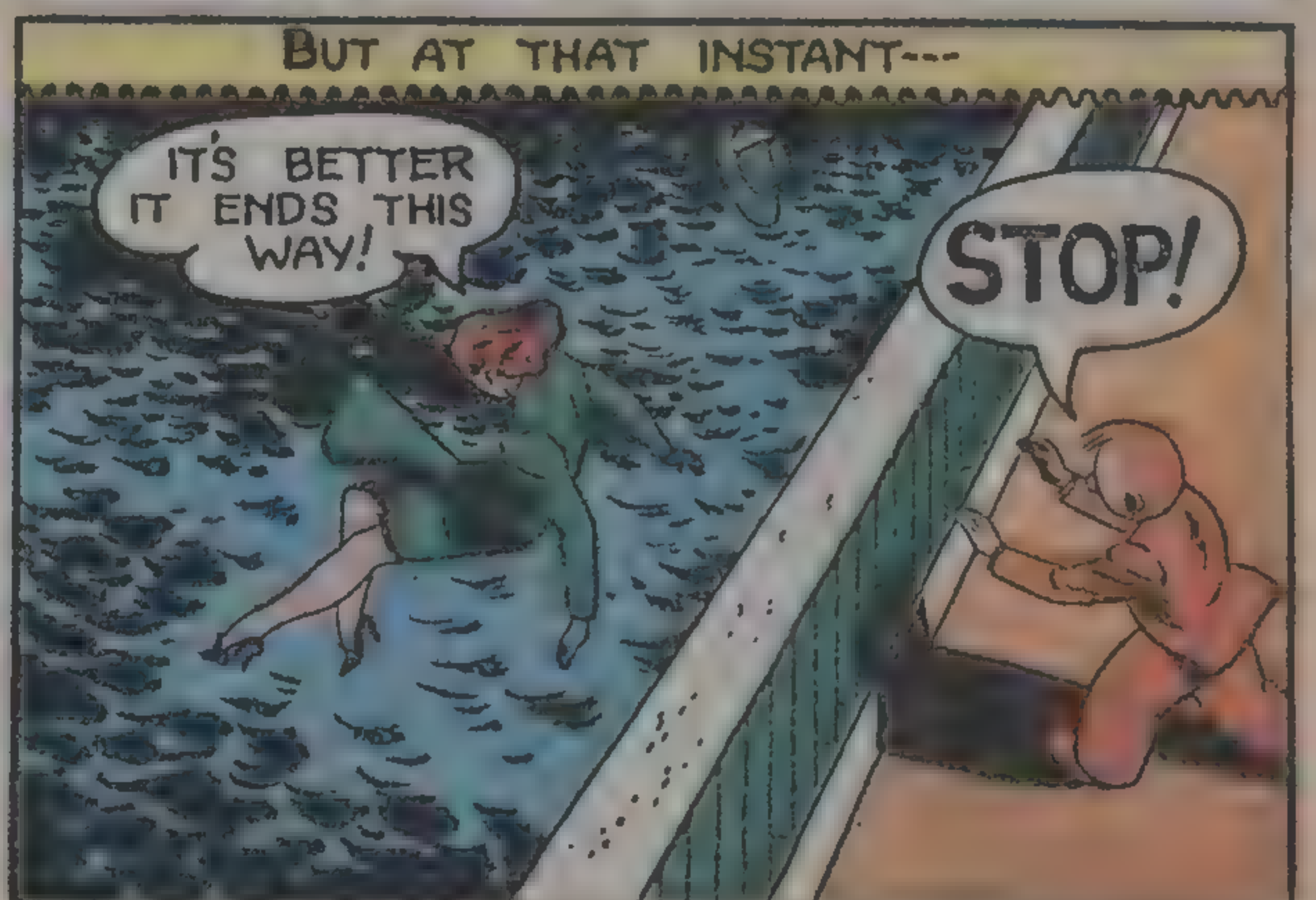
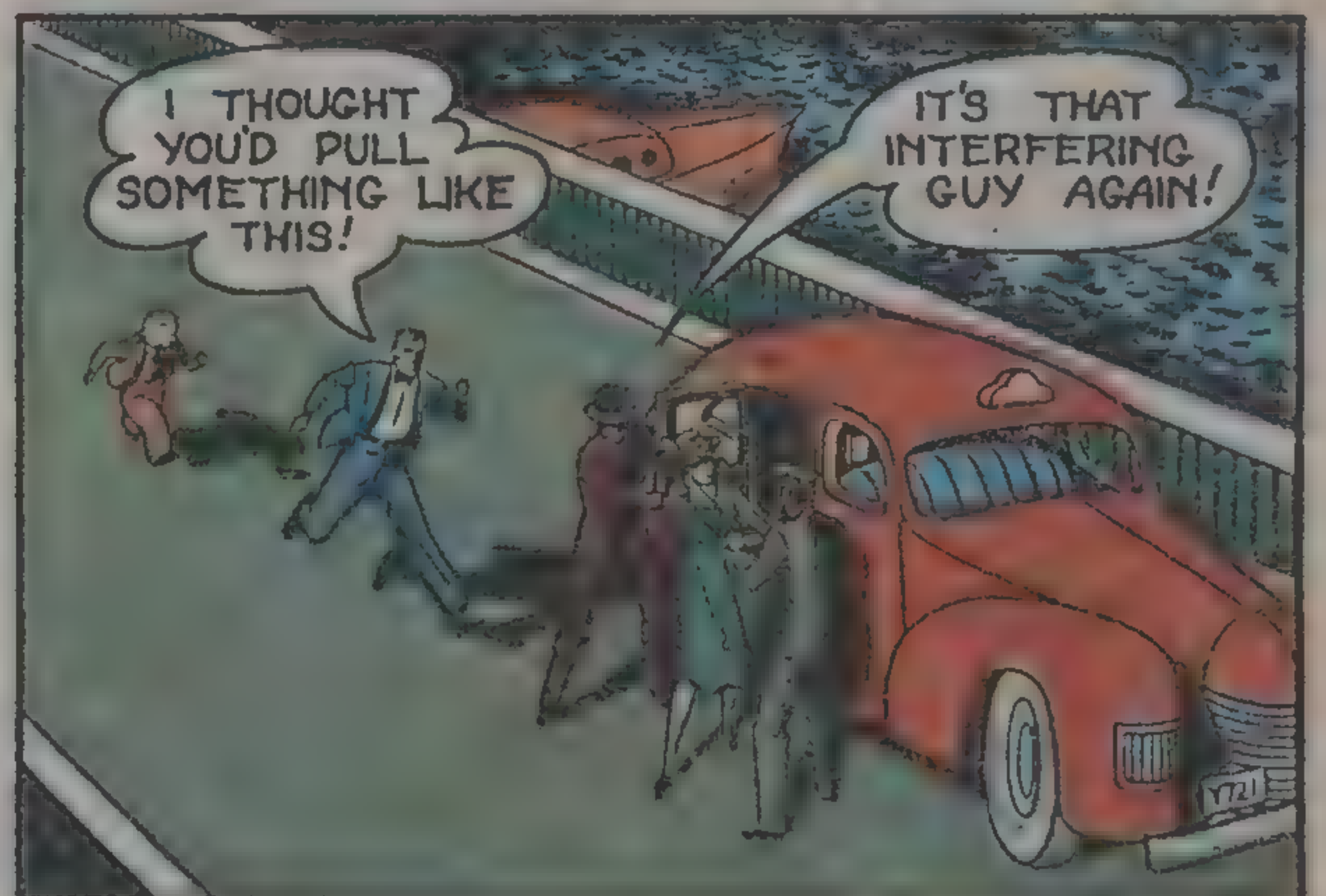
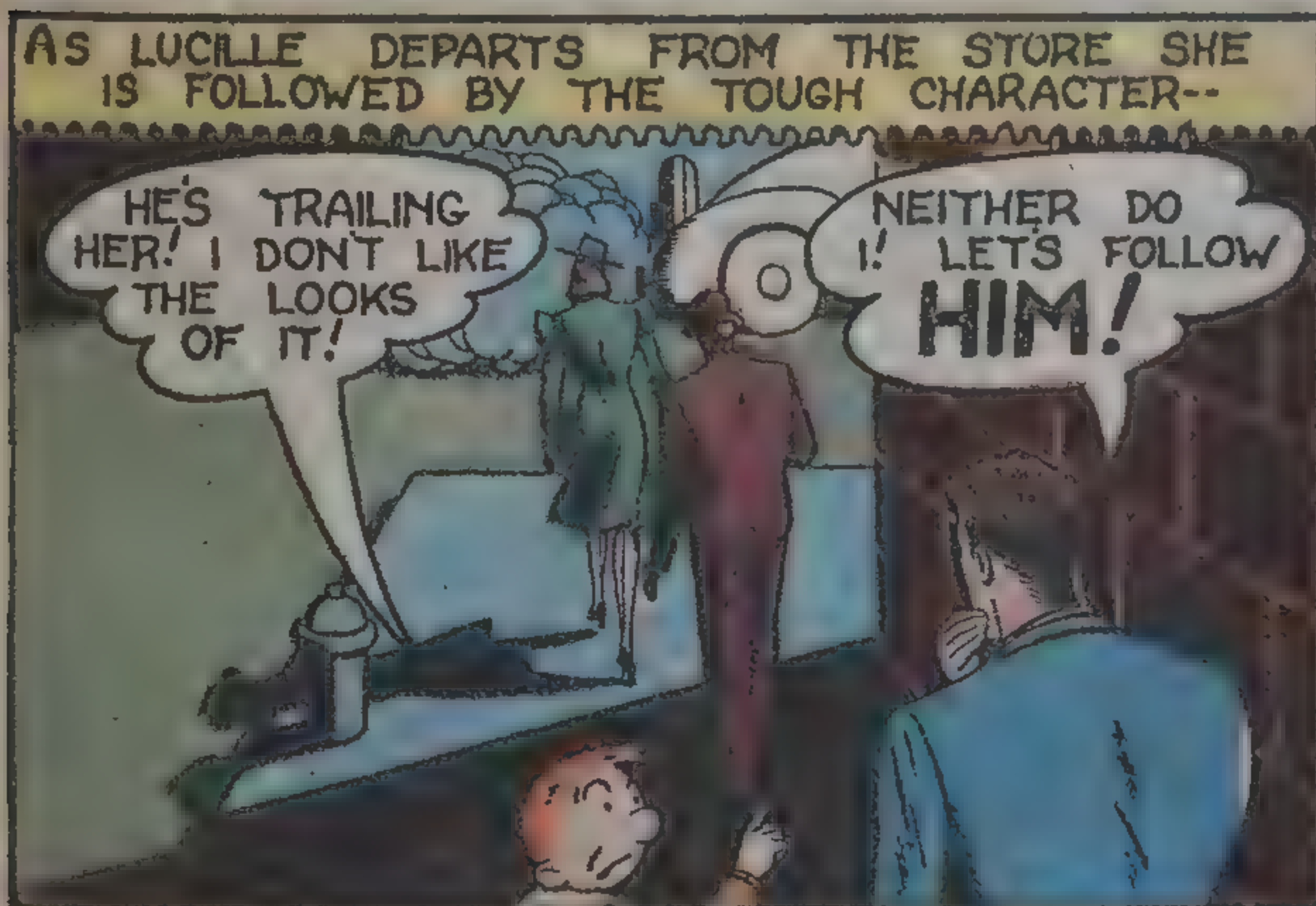
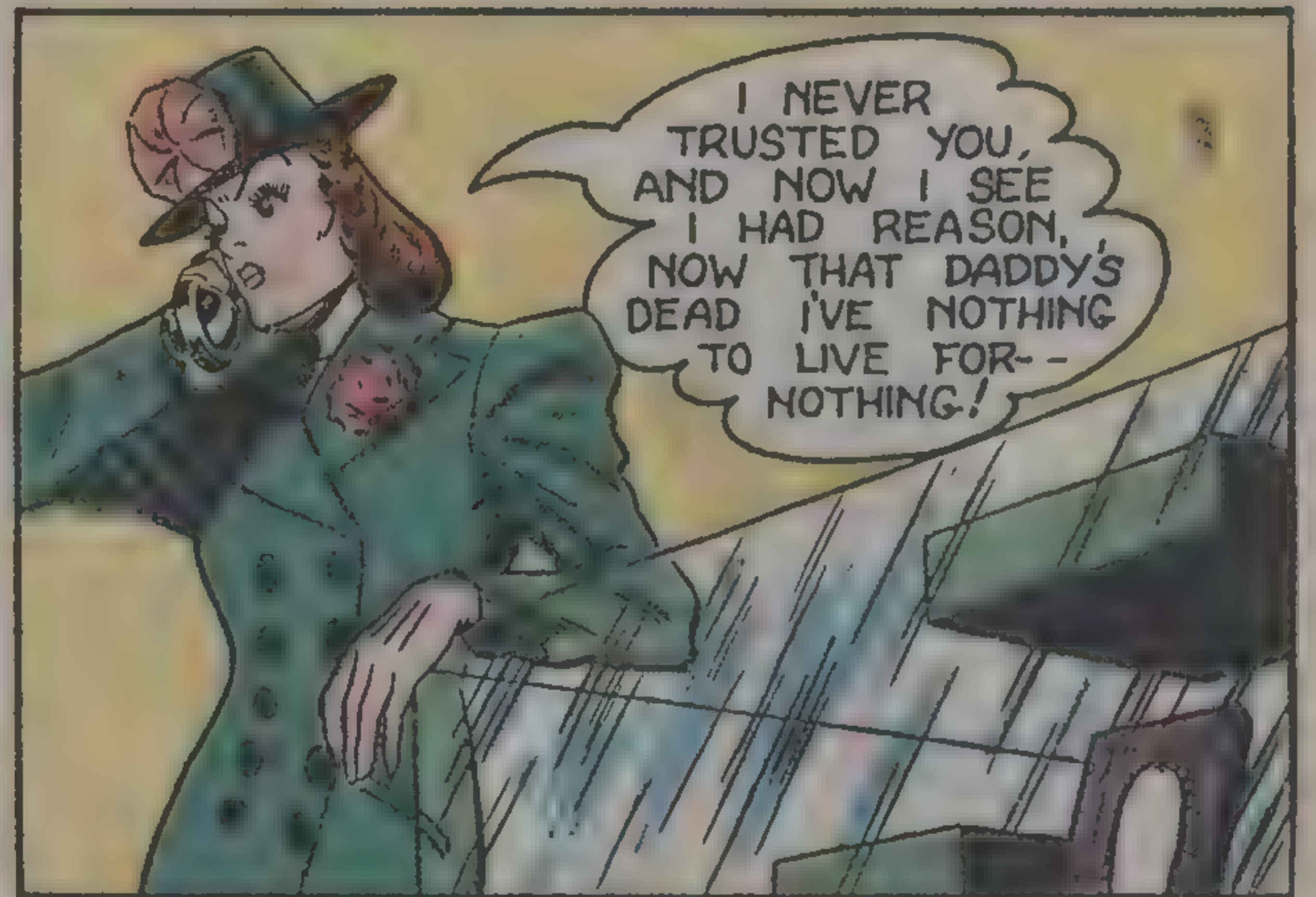
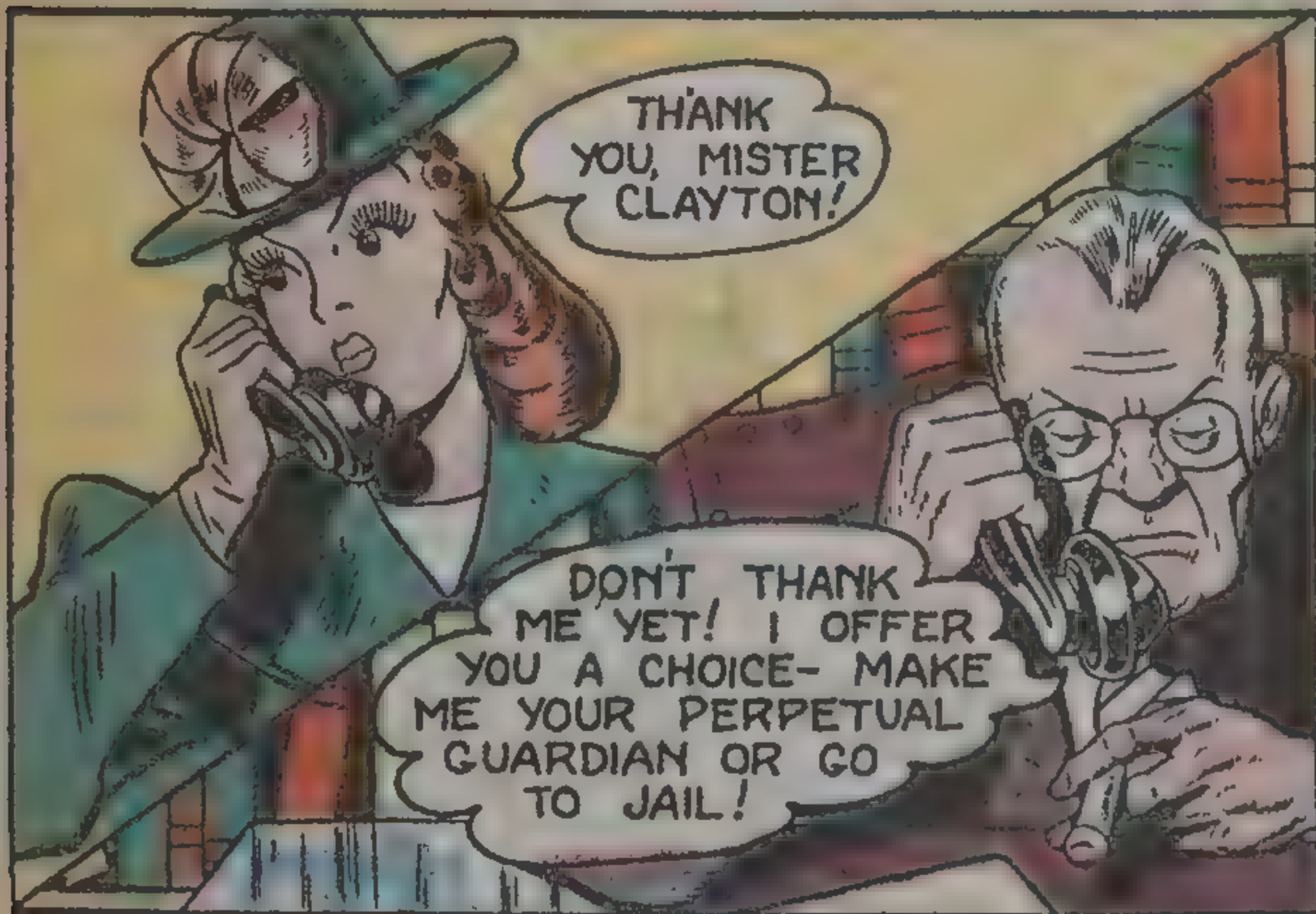


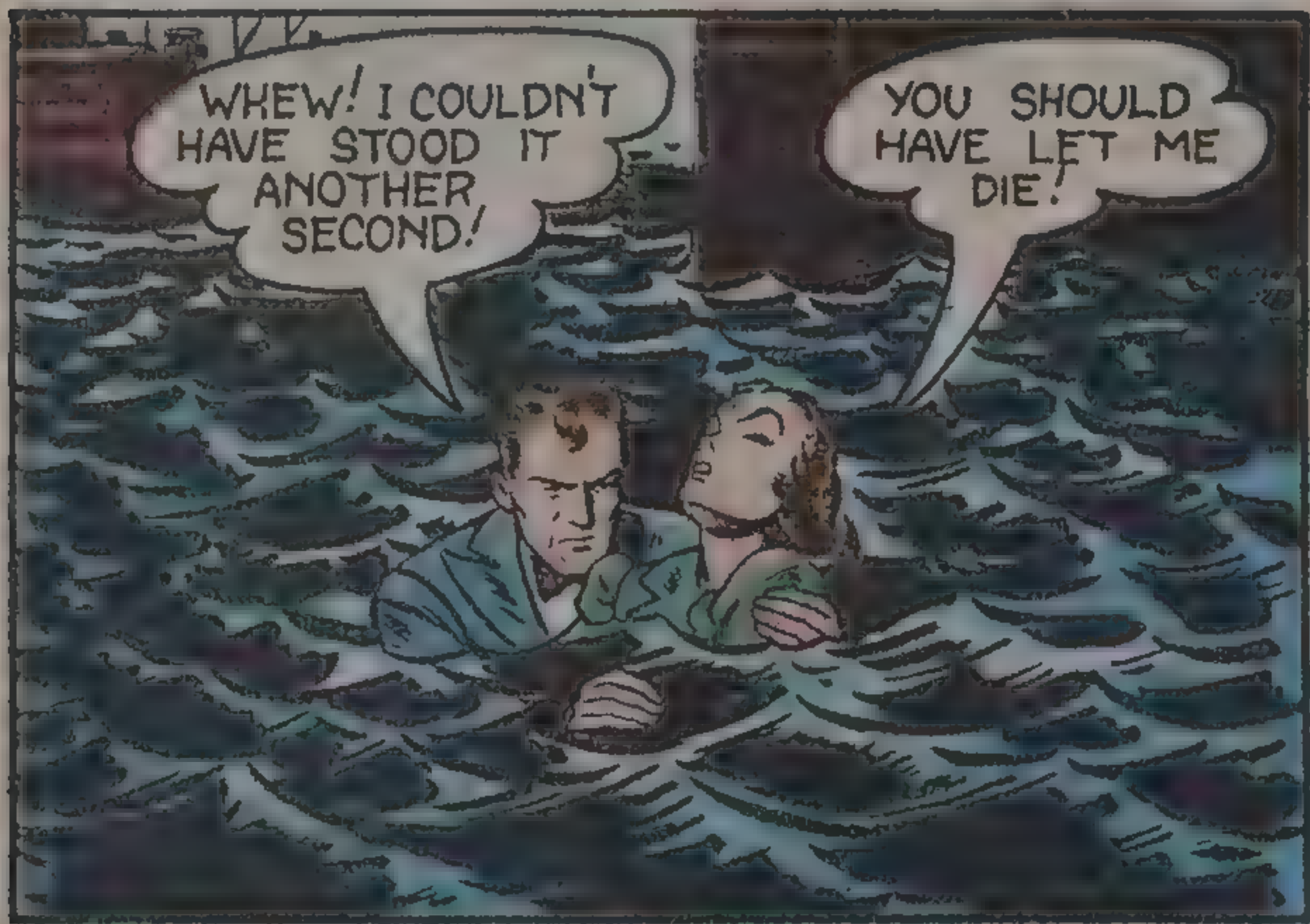
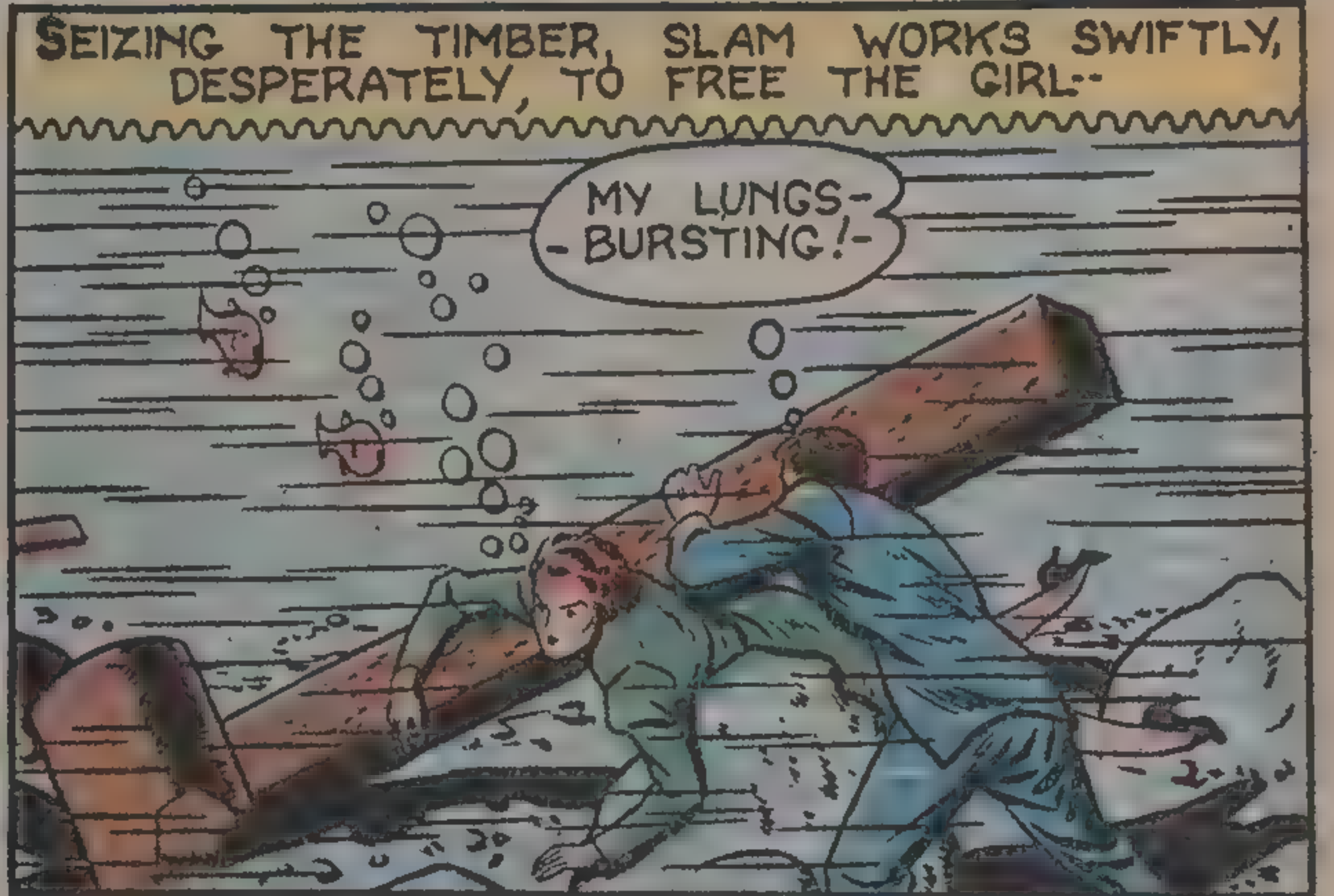
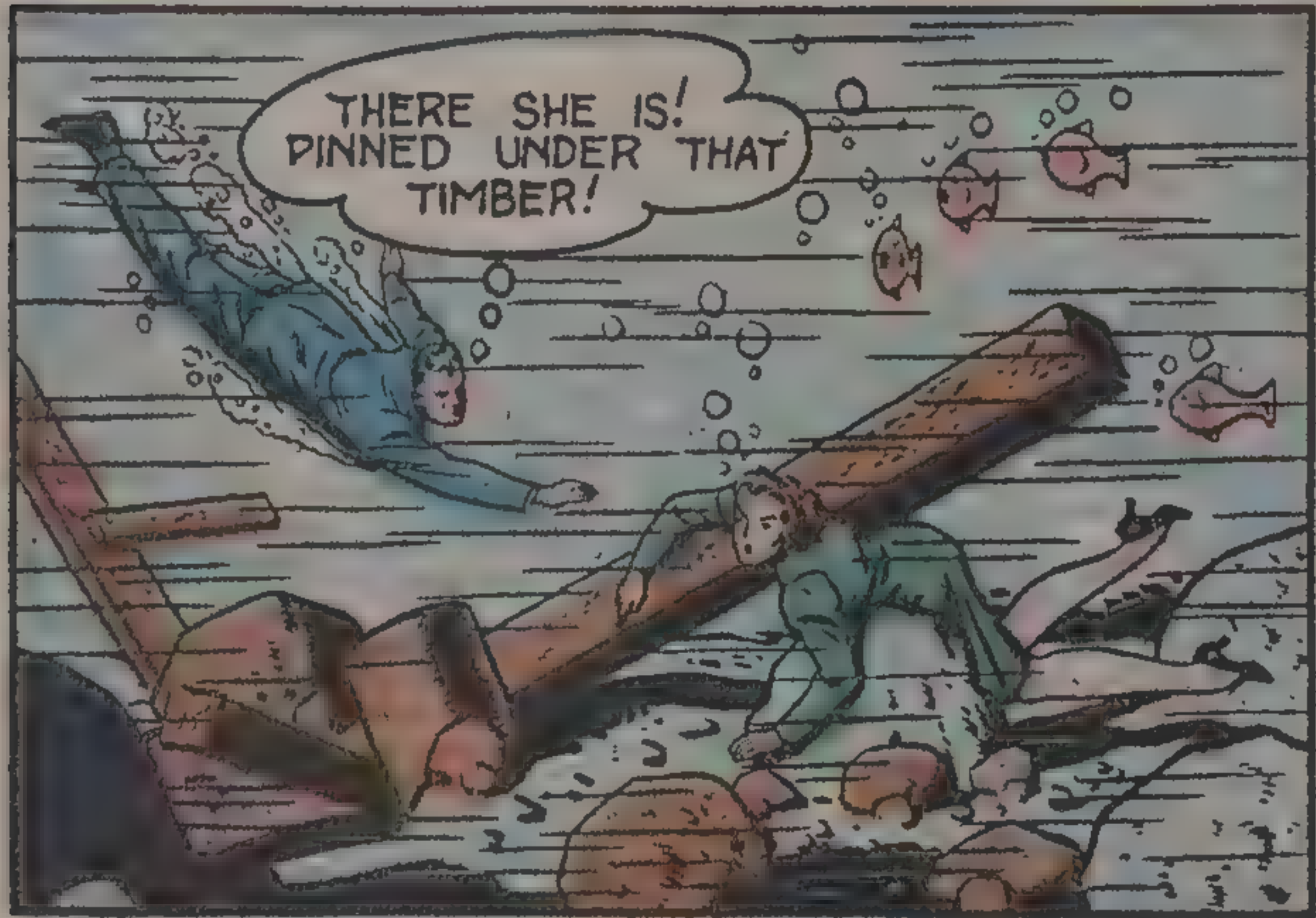
SLAM BRADLEY

IN NEED OF A TIMEPIECE, SLAM STEPS INTO A JEWELRY STORE, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS DIMINUTIVE PARTNER-PAL, SHORTY MORGAN. BRADLEY OBSERVES A TOUGH CHARACTER FURTIVELY FILCH A STRING OF PEARLS FROM THE COUNTER AND DROP THEM INTO A PRETTY GIRL'S COAT POCKET.

by JERRY SIEGEL
AND
HOWARD SHERMAN









BAH! IF THERE'S ANY TROUBLE TO BE FOUND, LEAVE IT TO YOU!

STEP ON IT, SHORTY! WE'VE GOT TO HELP THAT GIRL!



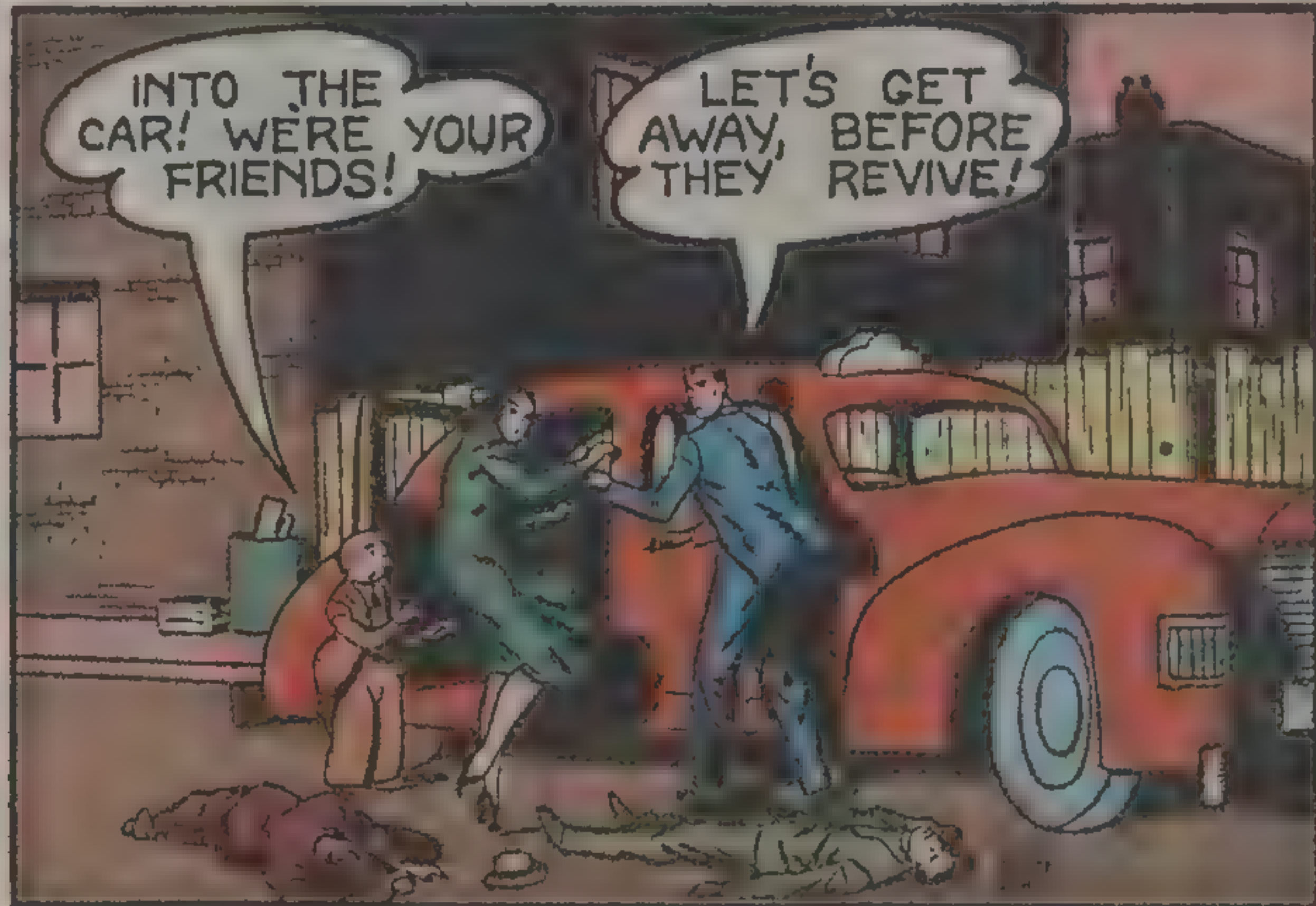
GO ON! GET IN!

I WON'T! I WON'T!



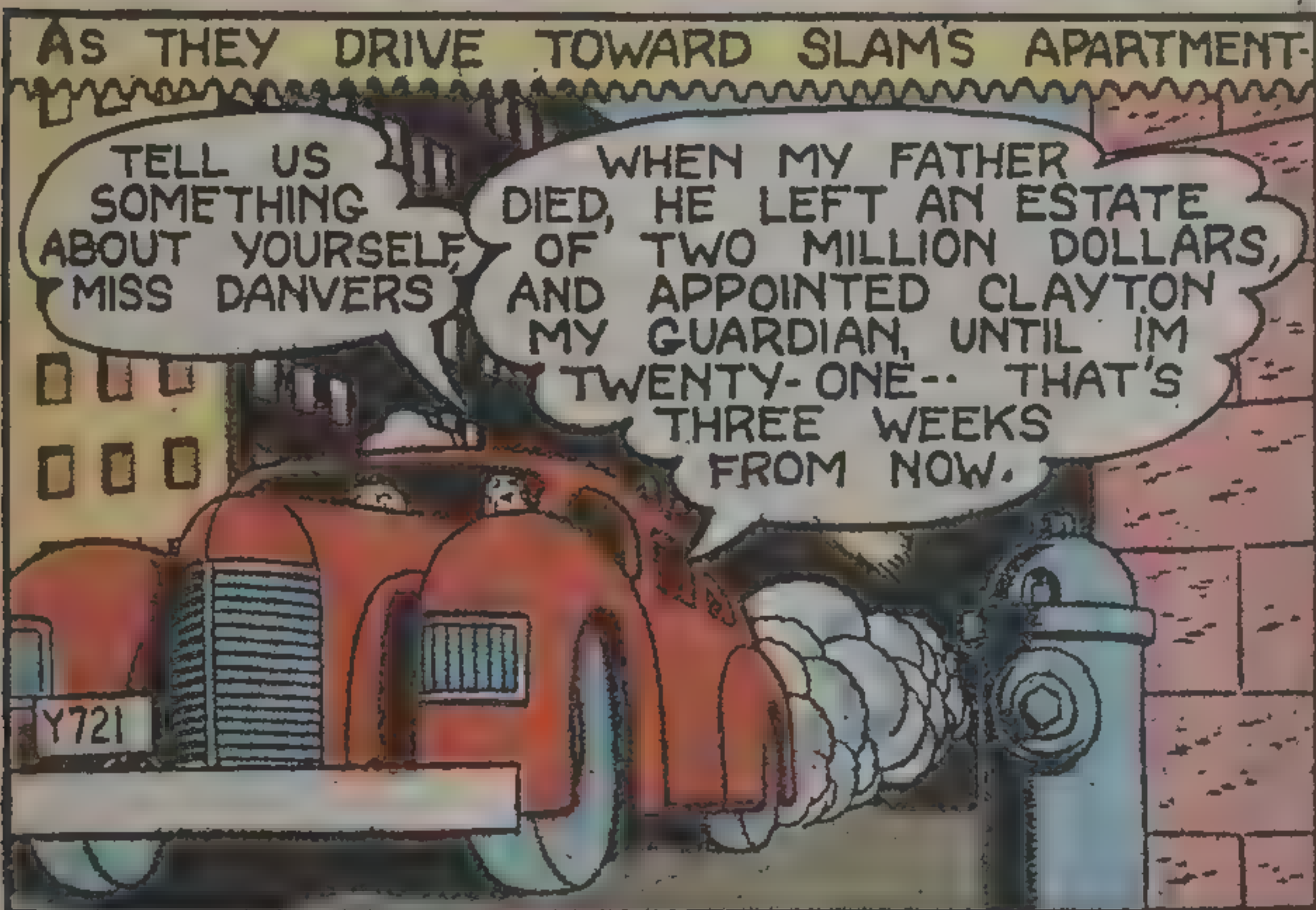
HOW'S 'AT, SHORTY?

NOT BAD! HOW'S THIS?



INTO THE CAR! WE'RE YOUR FRIENDS!

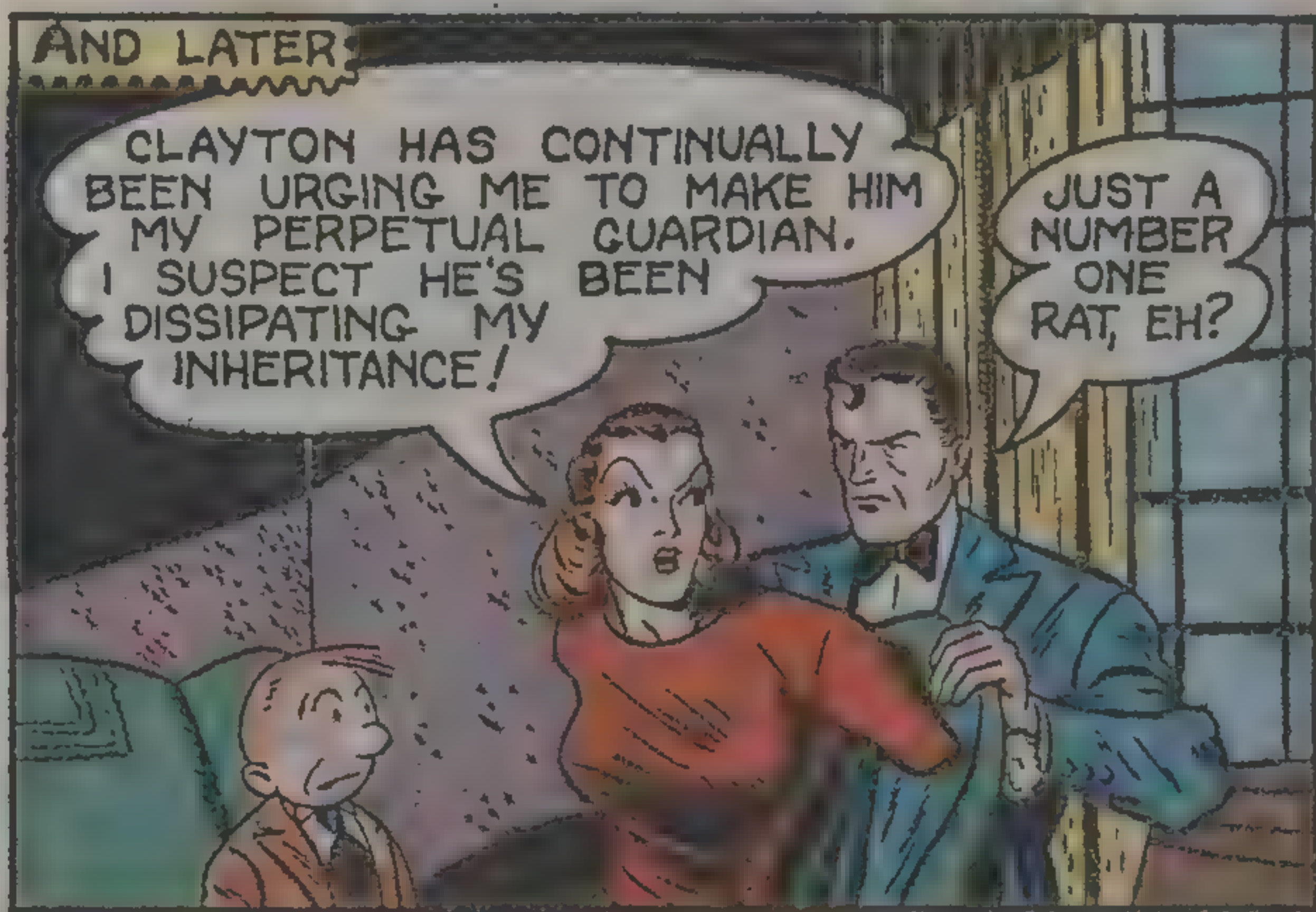
LET'S GET AWAY, BEFORE THEY REVIVE!



AS THEY DRIVE TOWARD SLAM'S APARTMENT-

TELL US SOMETHING ABOUT YOURSELF, MISS DANVERS

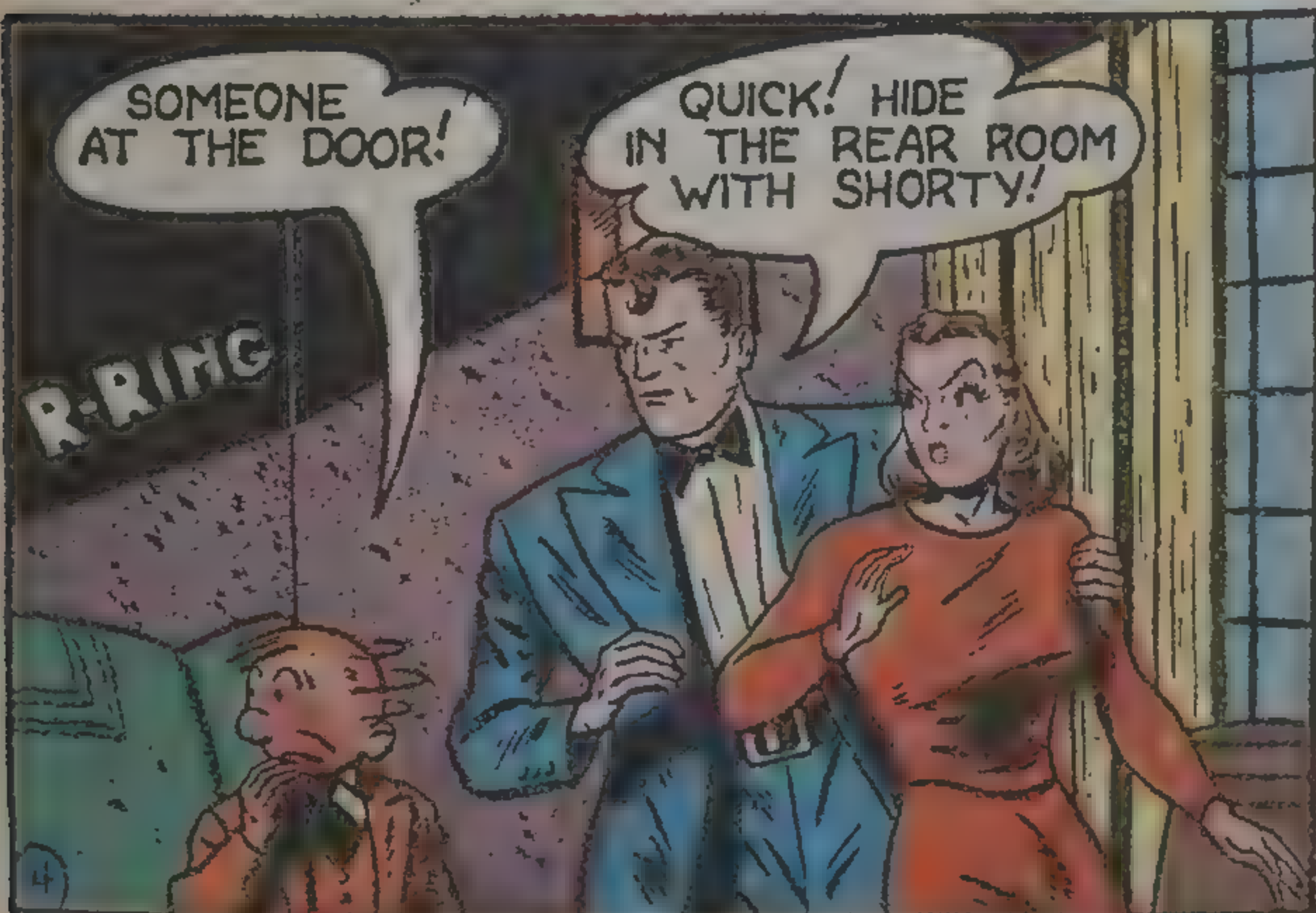
WHEN MY FATHER DIED, HE LEFT AN ESTATE OF TWO MILLION DOLLARS, AND APPOINTED CLAYTON MY GUARDIAN, UNTIL IM TWENTY-ONE-- THAT'S THREE WEEKS FROM NOW.



AND LATER-

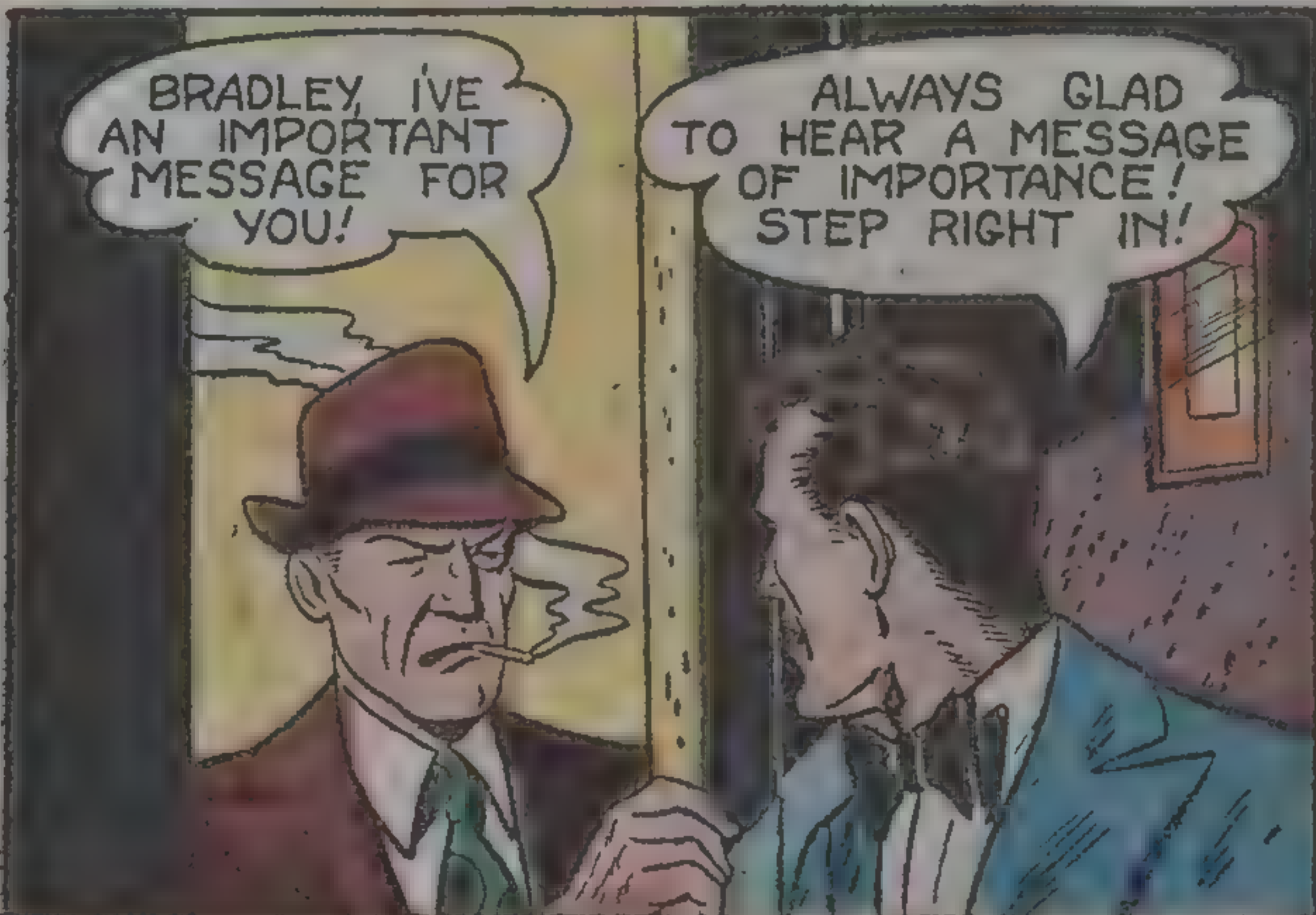
CLAYTON HAS CONTINUALLY BEEN URGING ME TO MAKE HIM MY PERPETUAL GUARDIAN. I SUSPECT HE'S BEEN DISSIPATING MY INHERITANCE!

JUST A NUMBER ONE RAT, EH?



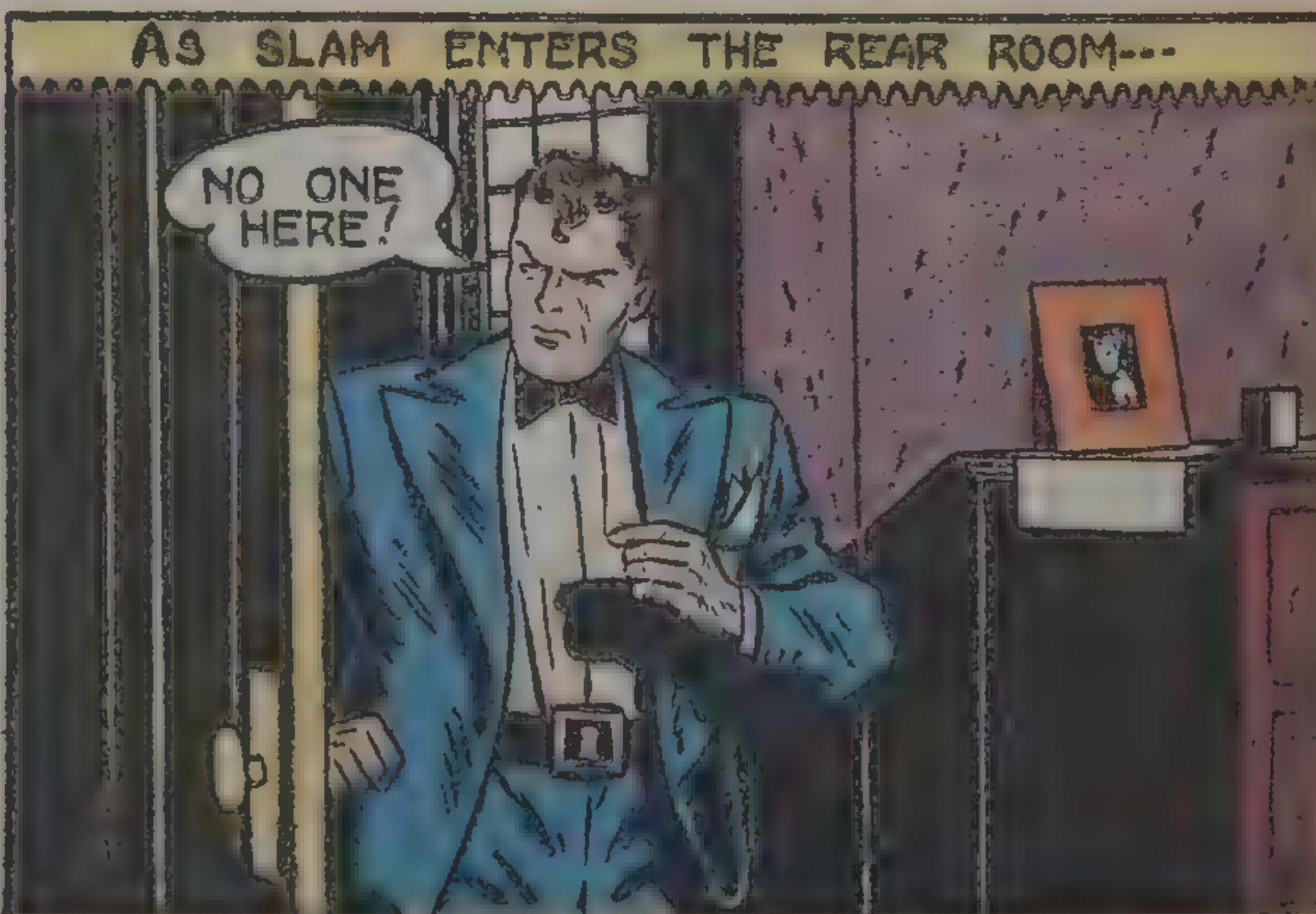
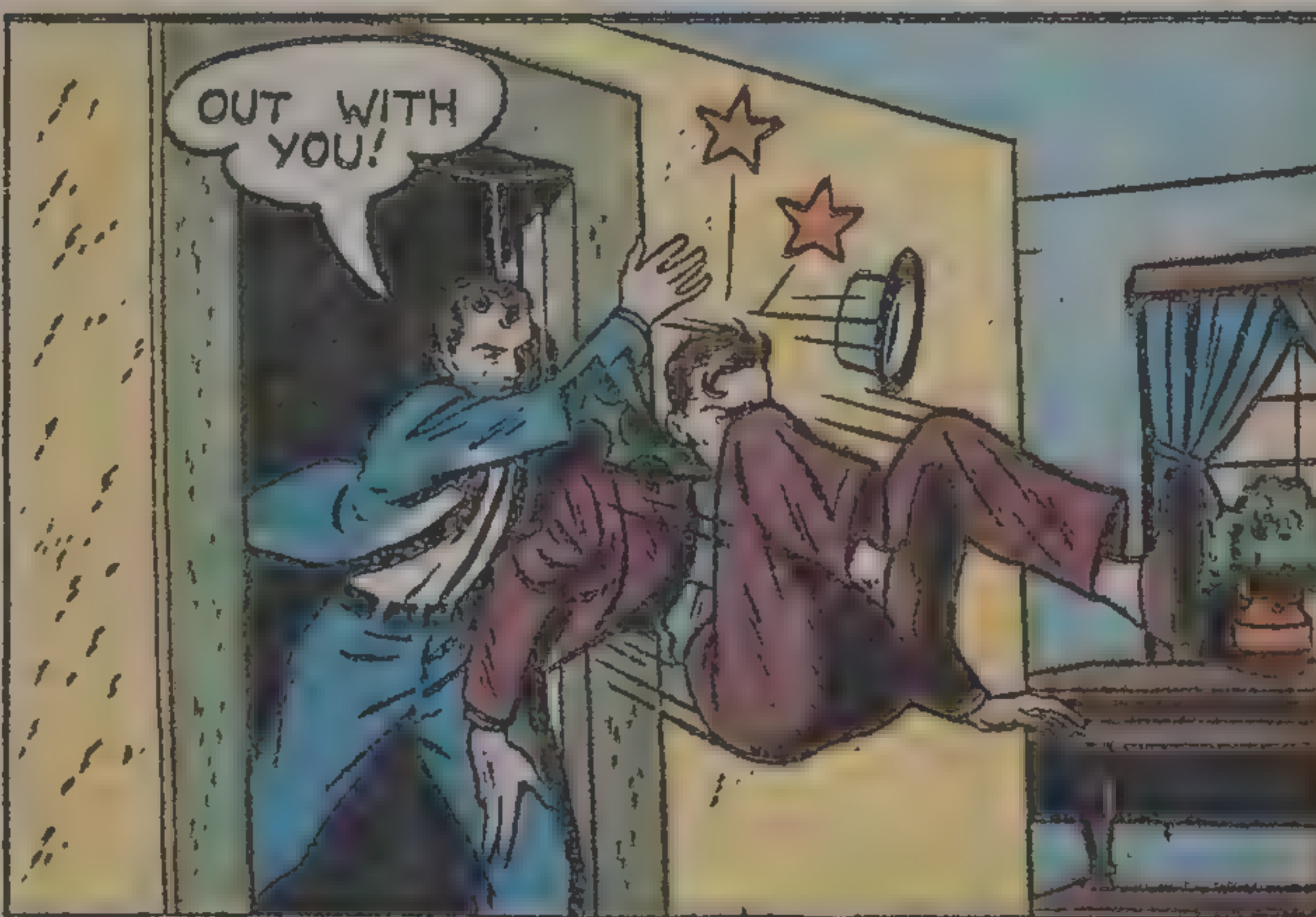
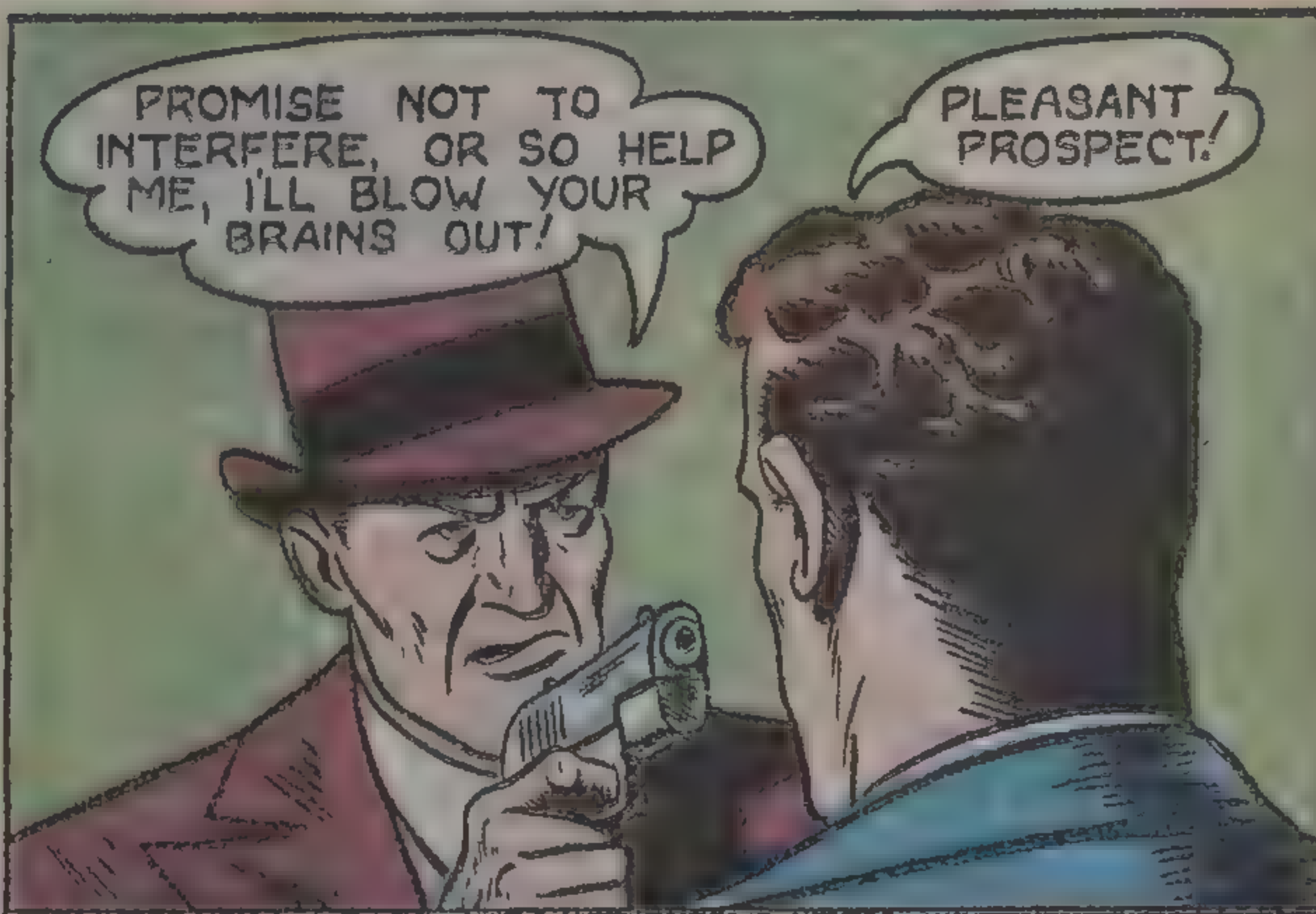
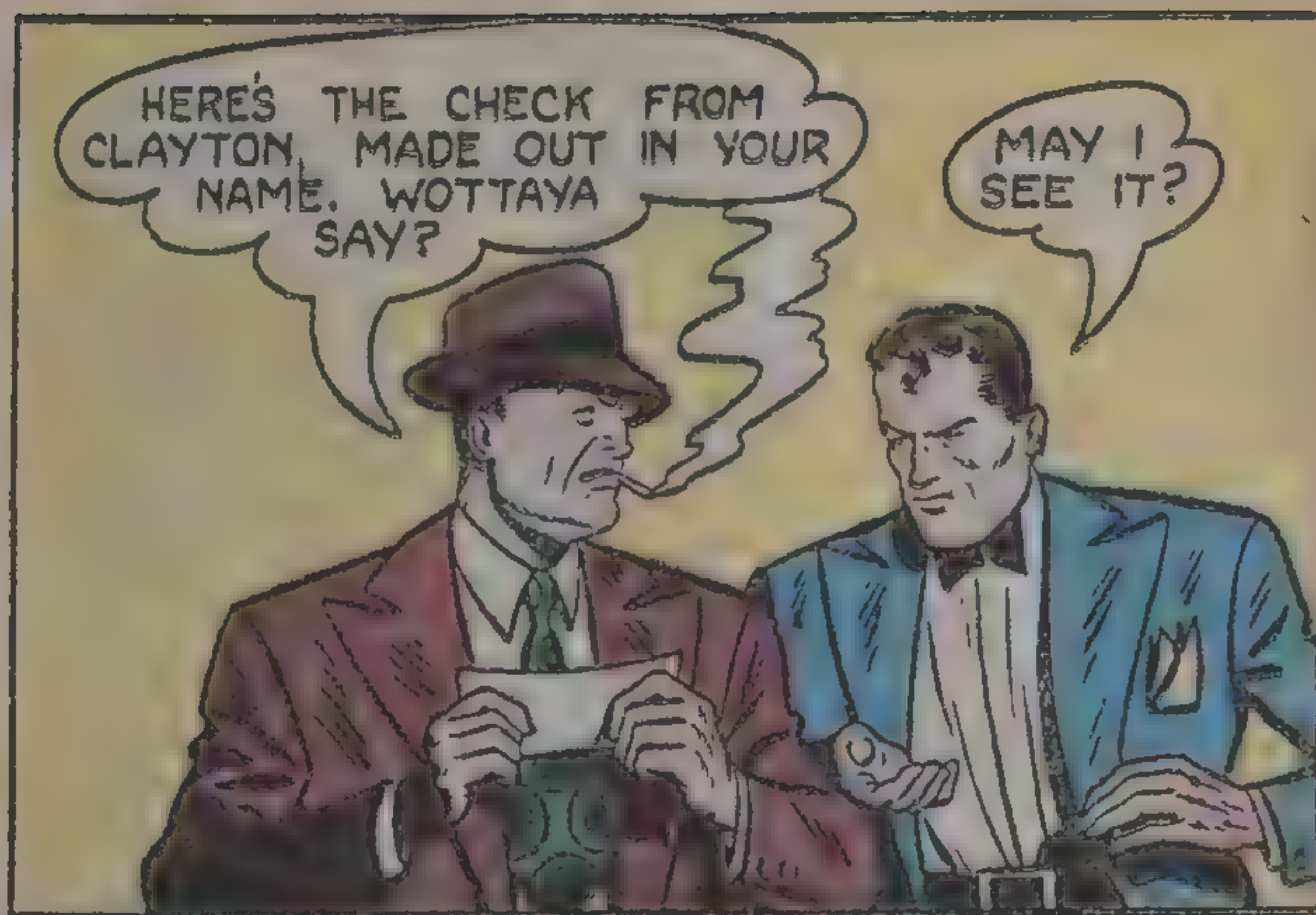
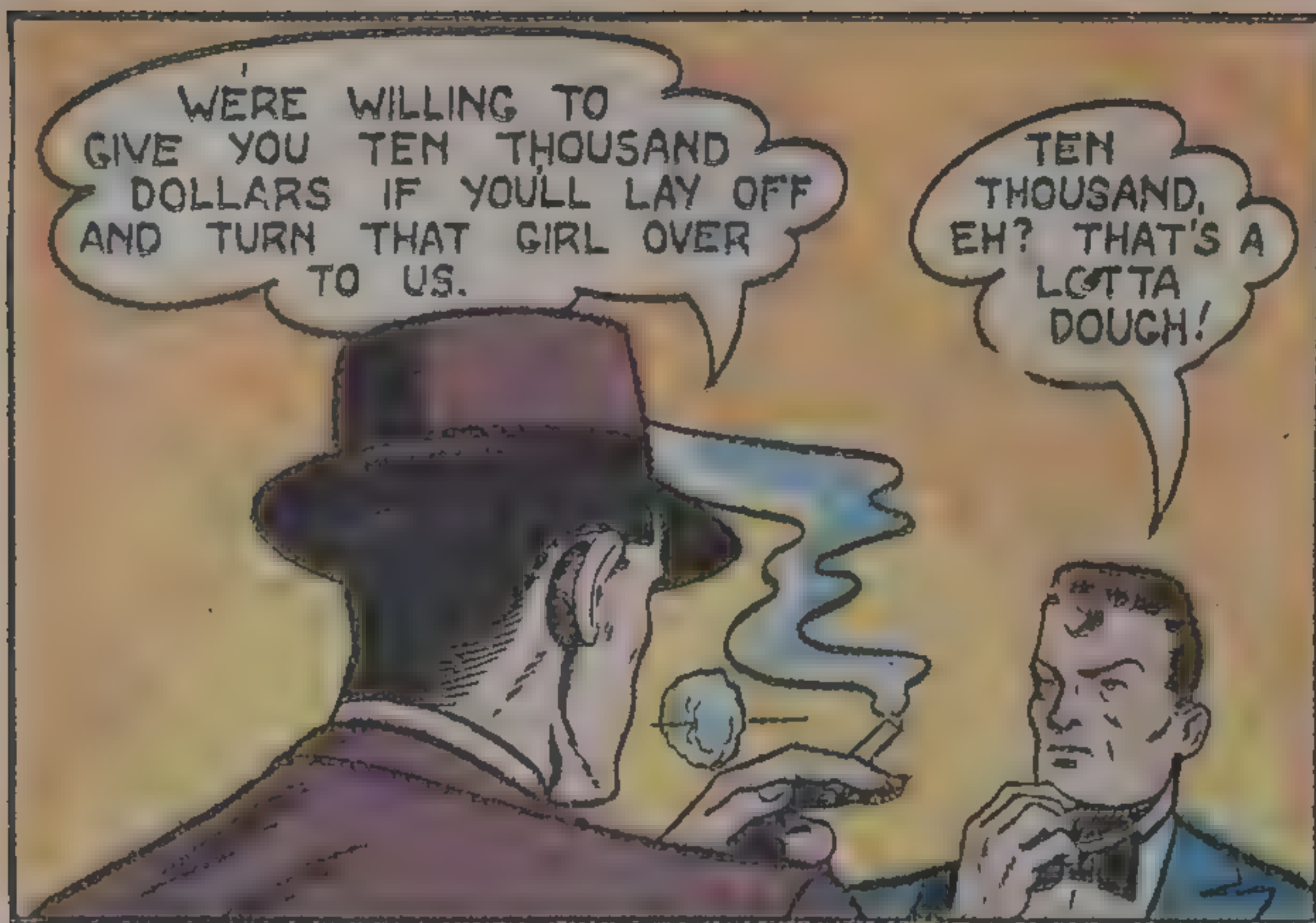
SOMEONE AT THE DOOR!

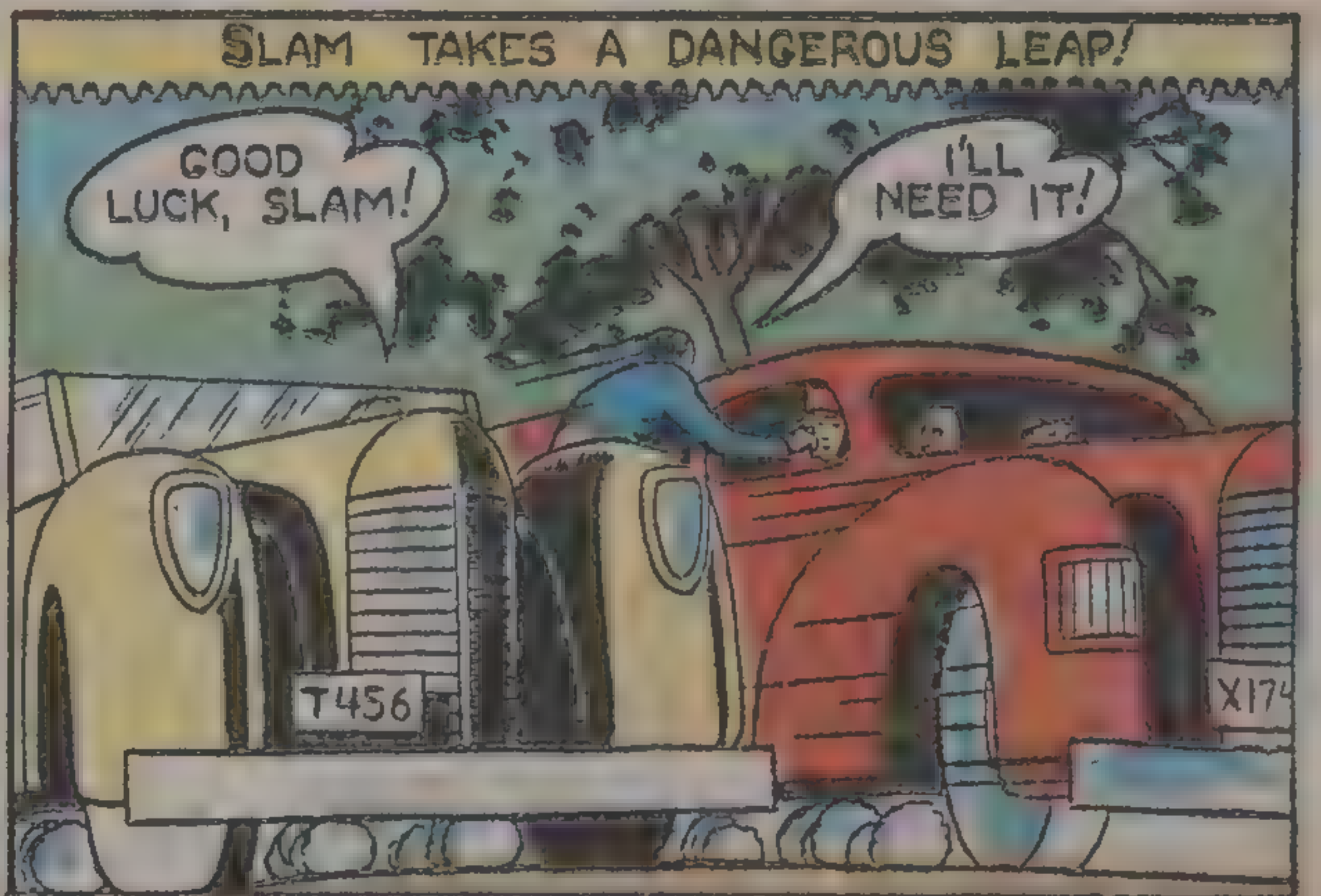
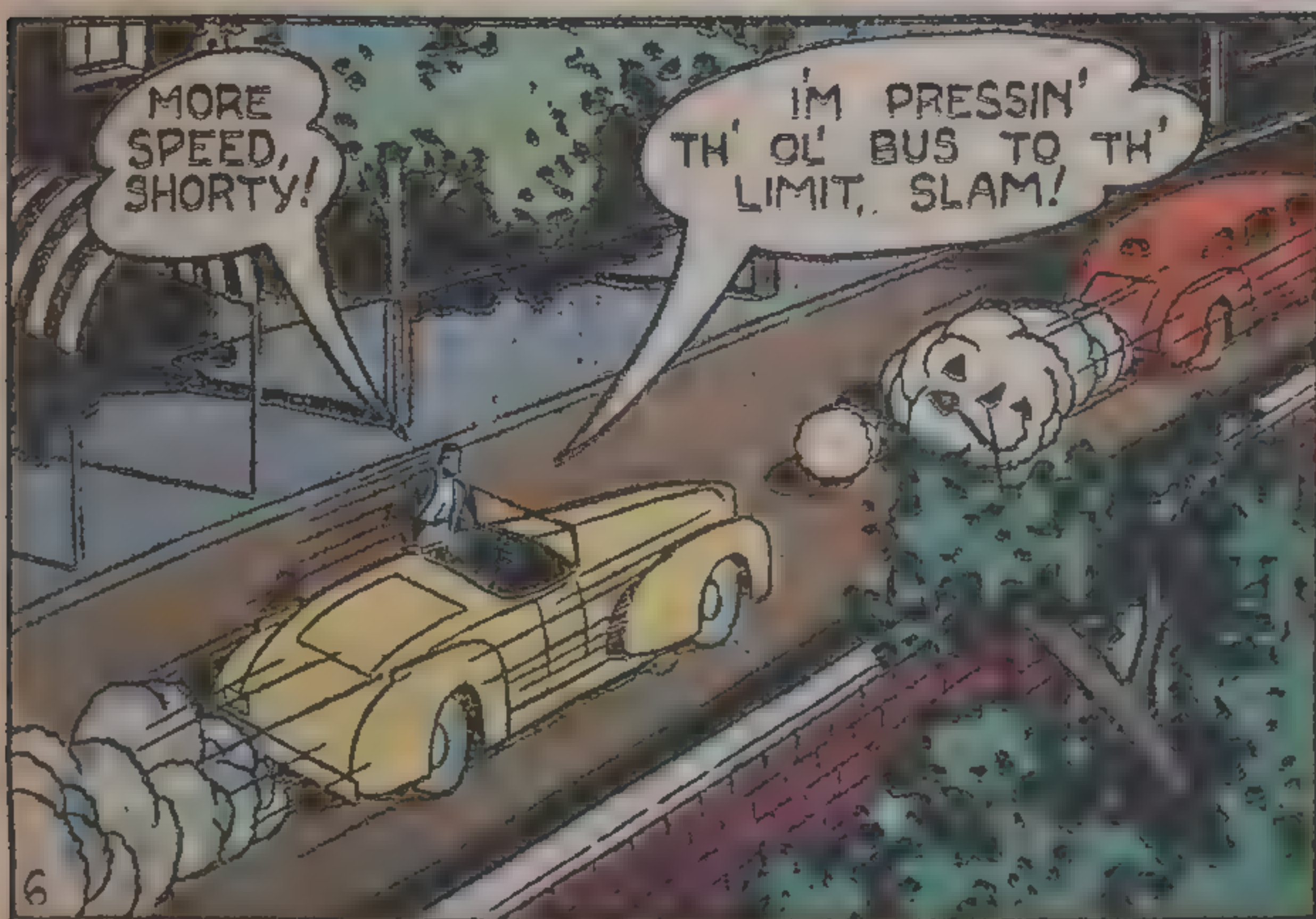
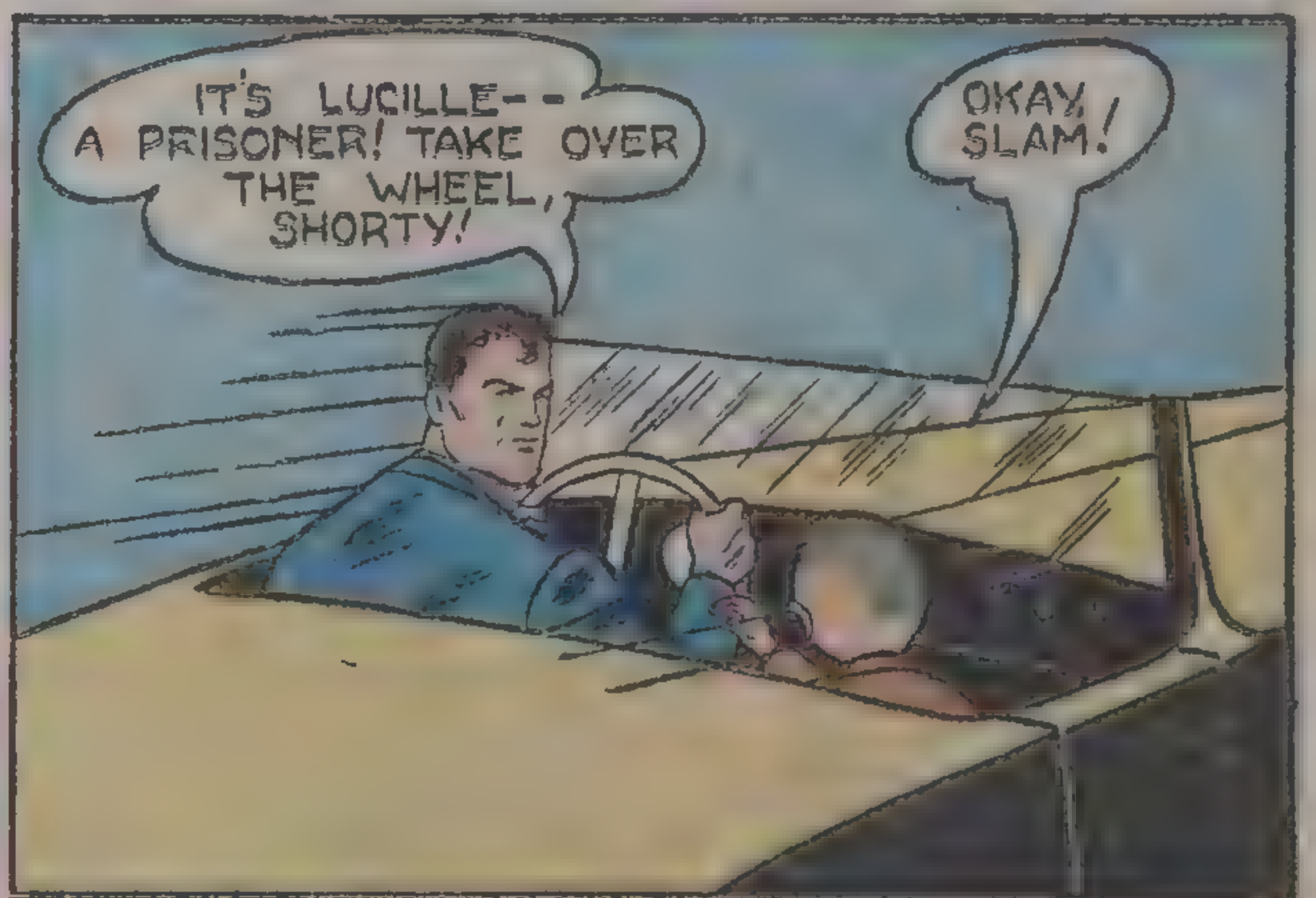
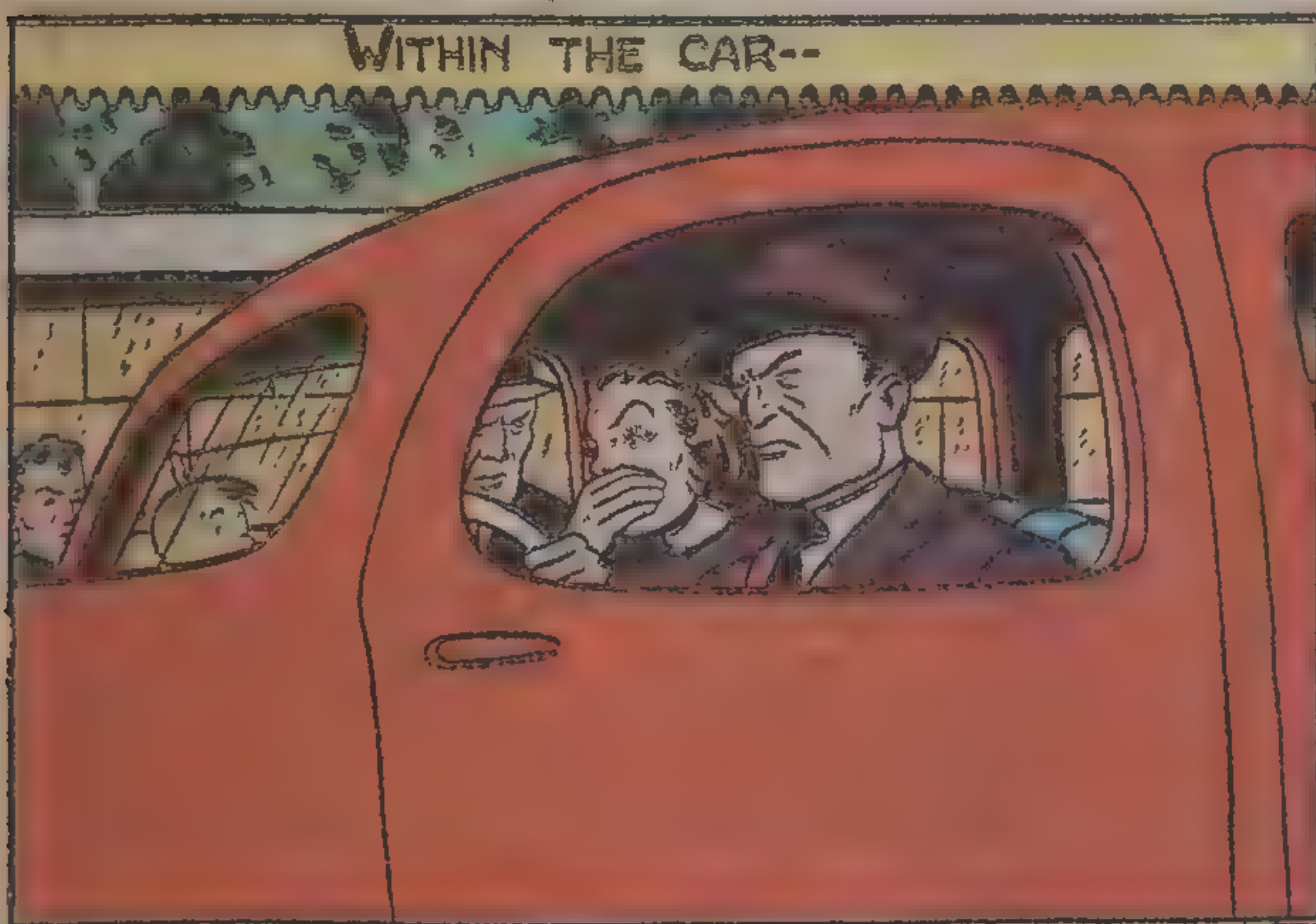
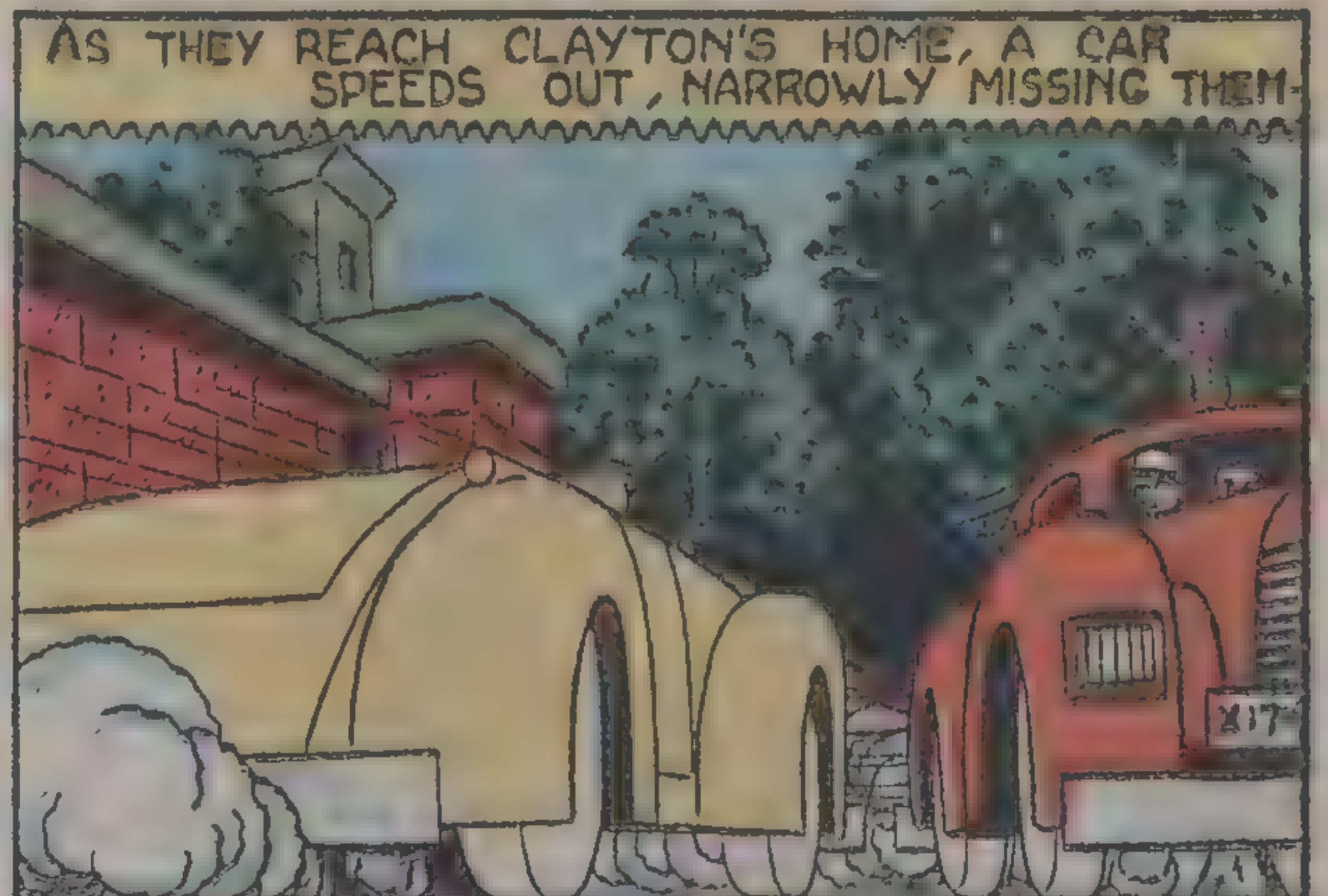
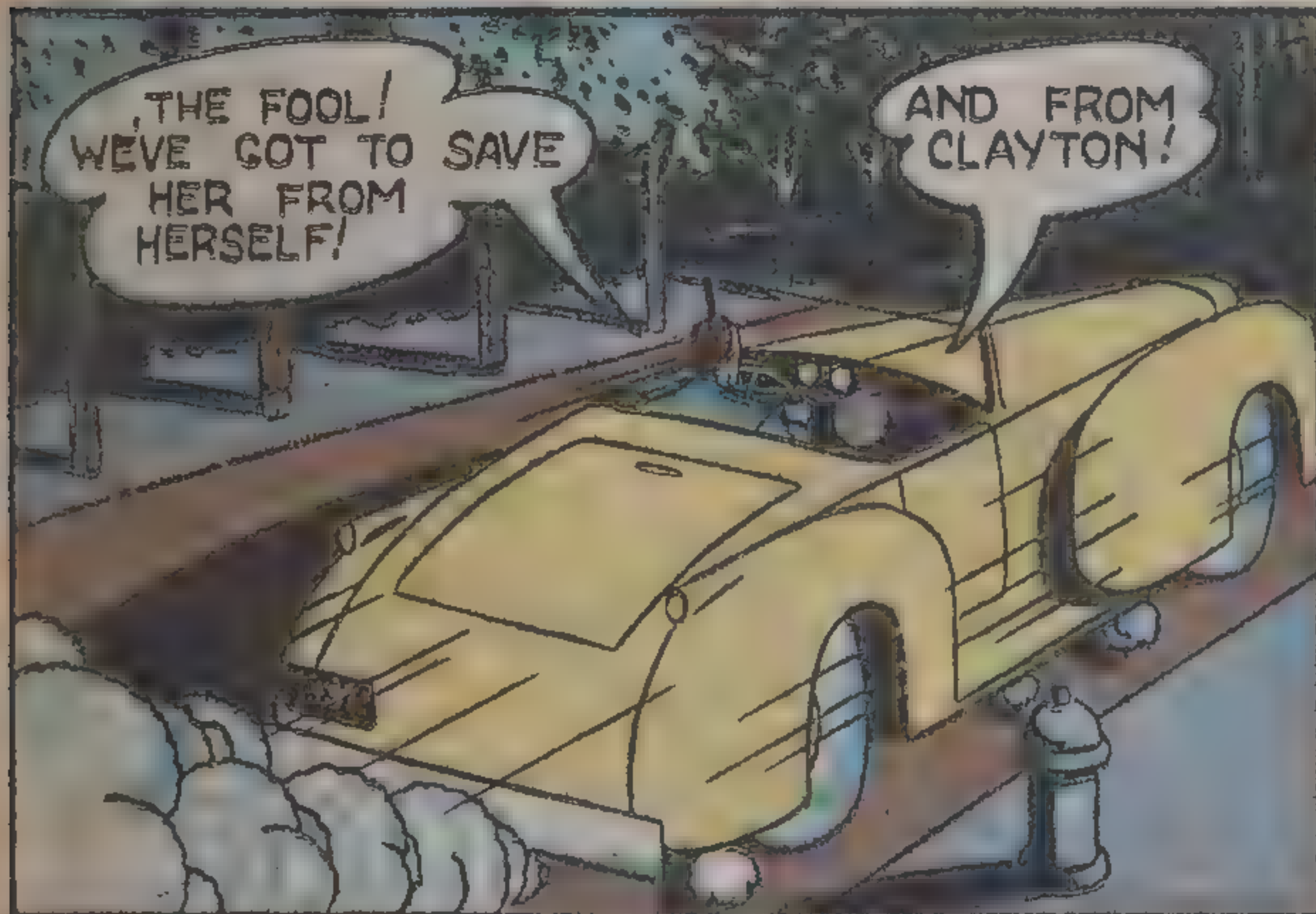
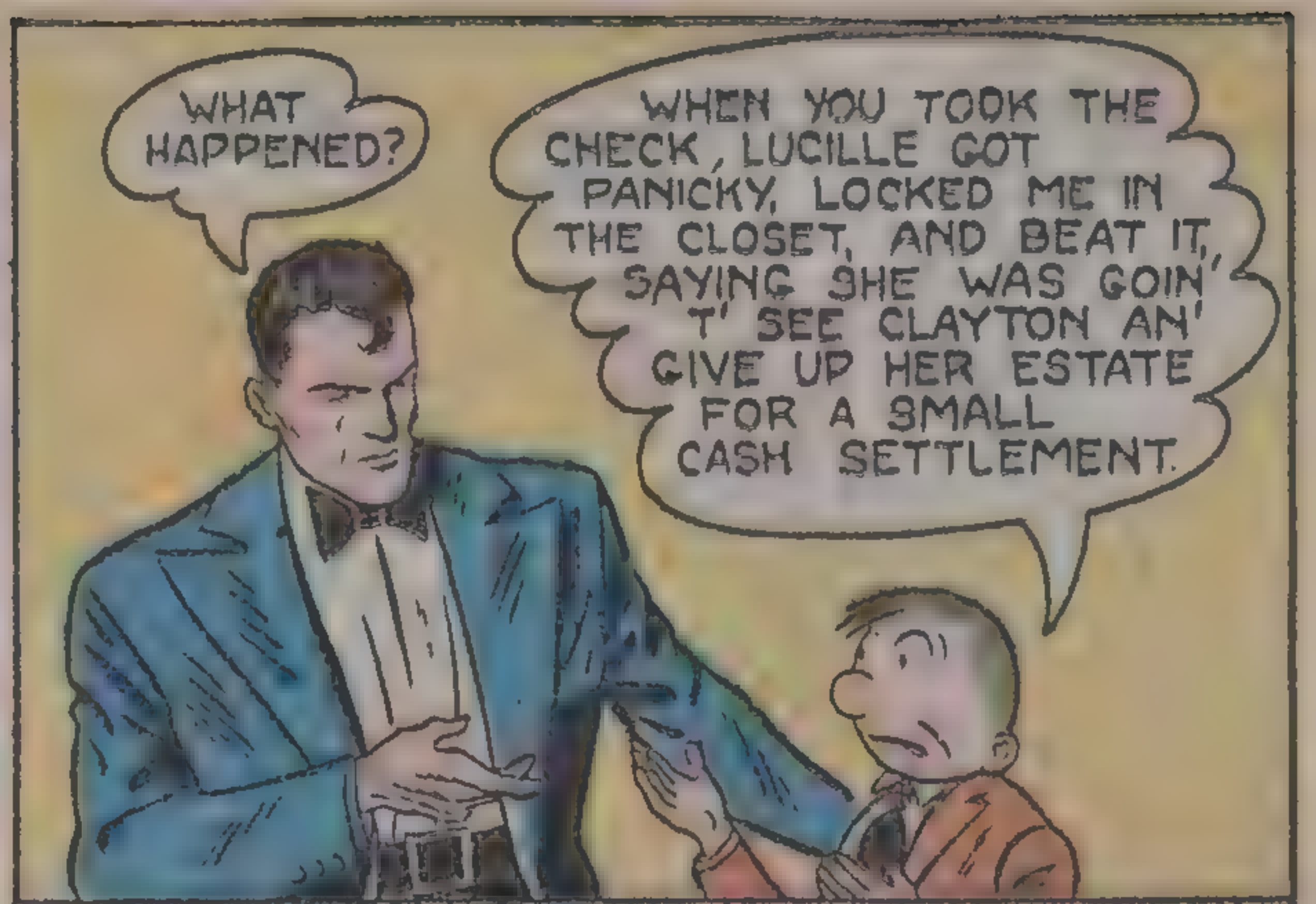
QUICK! HIDE IN THE REAR ROOM WITH SHORTY!

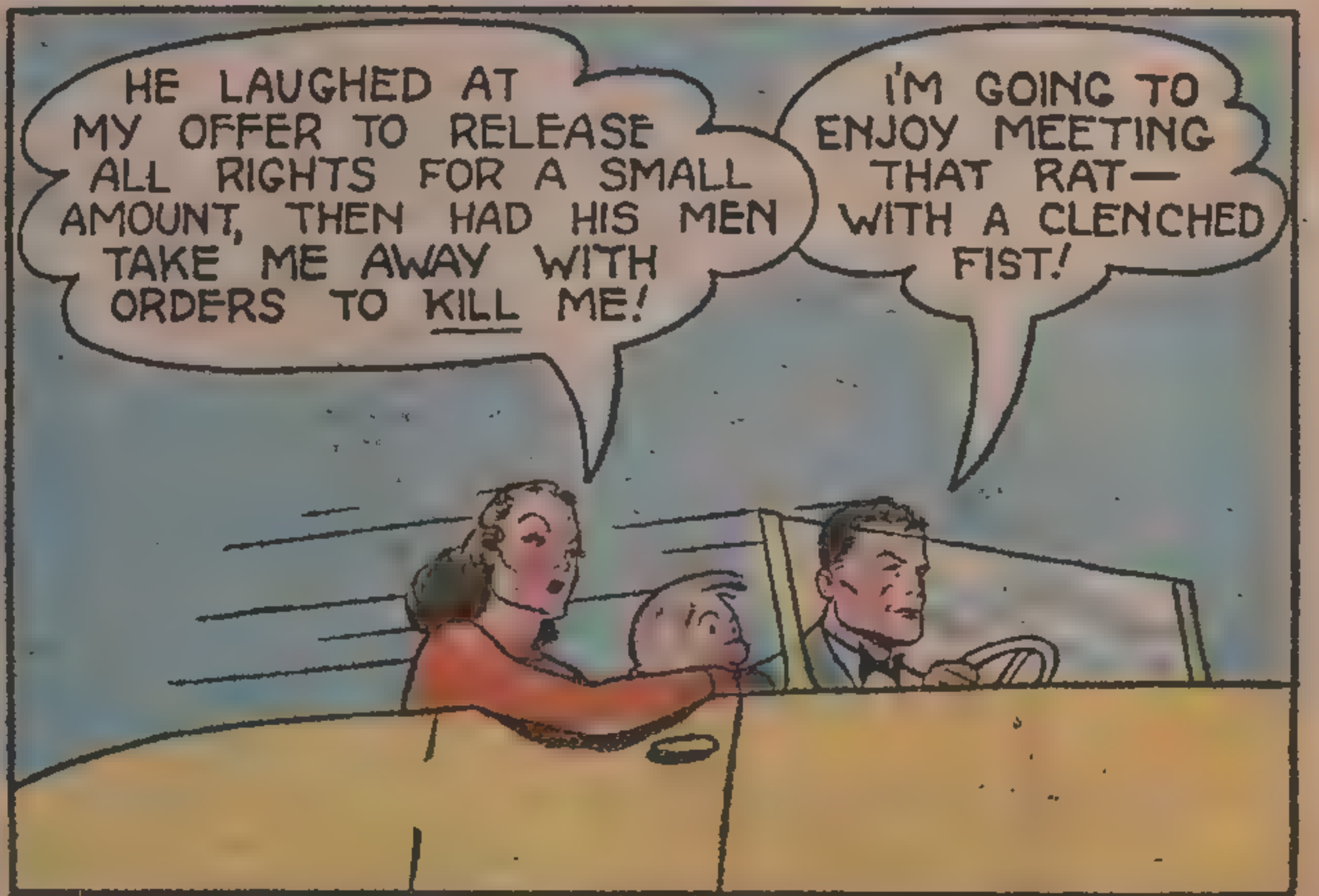
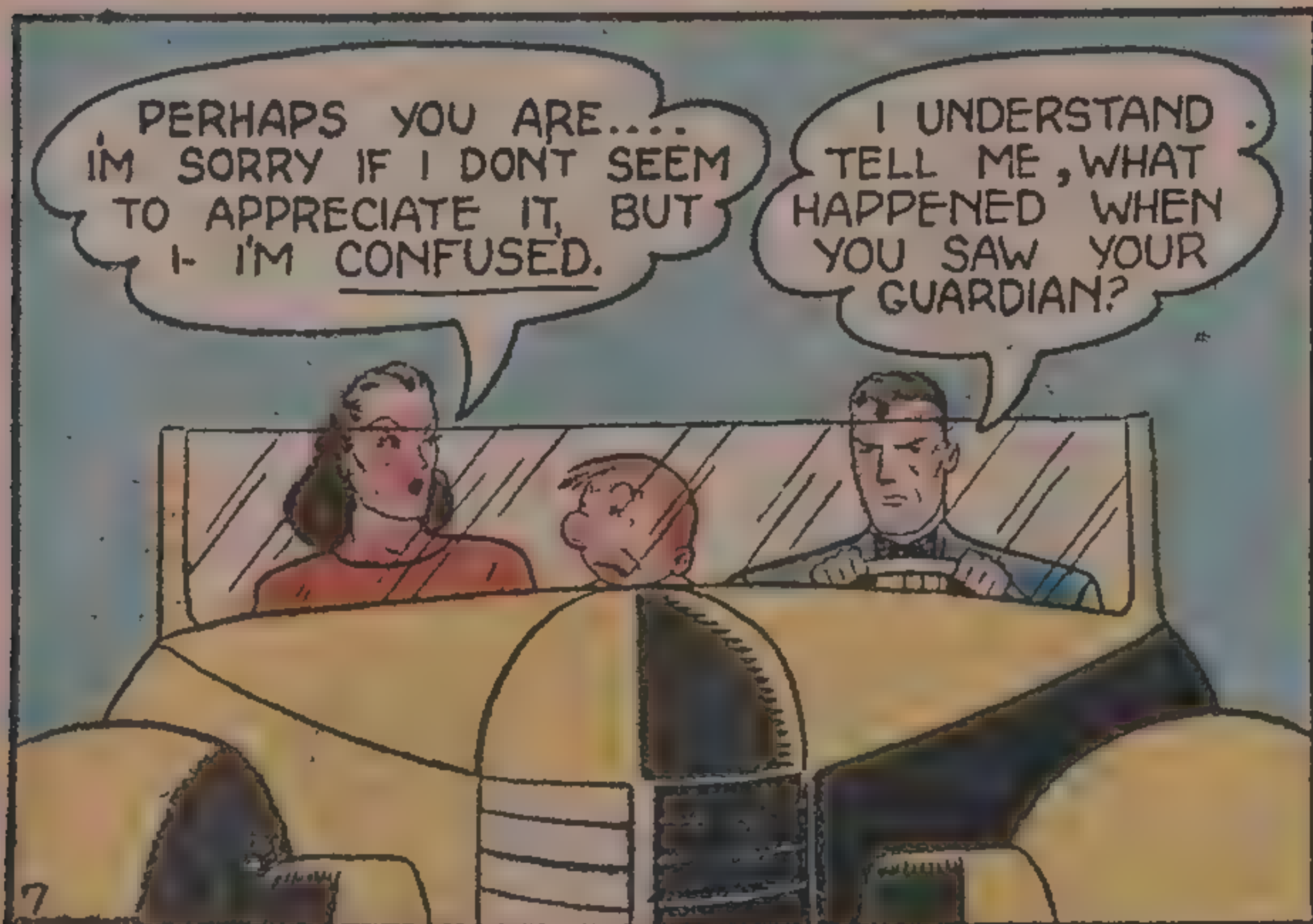
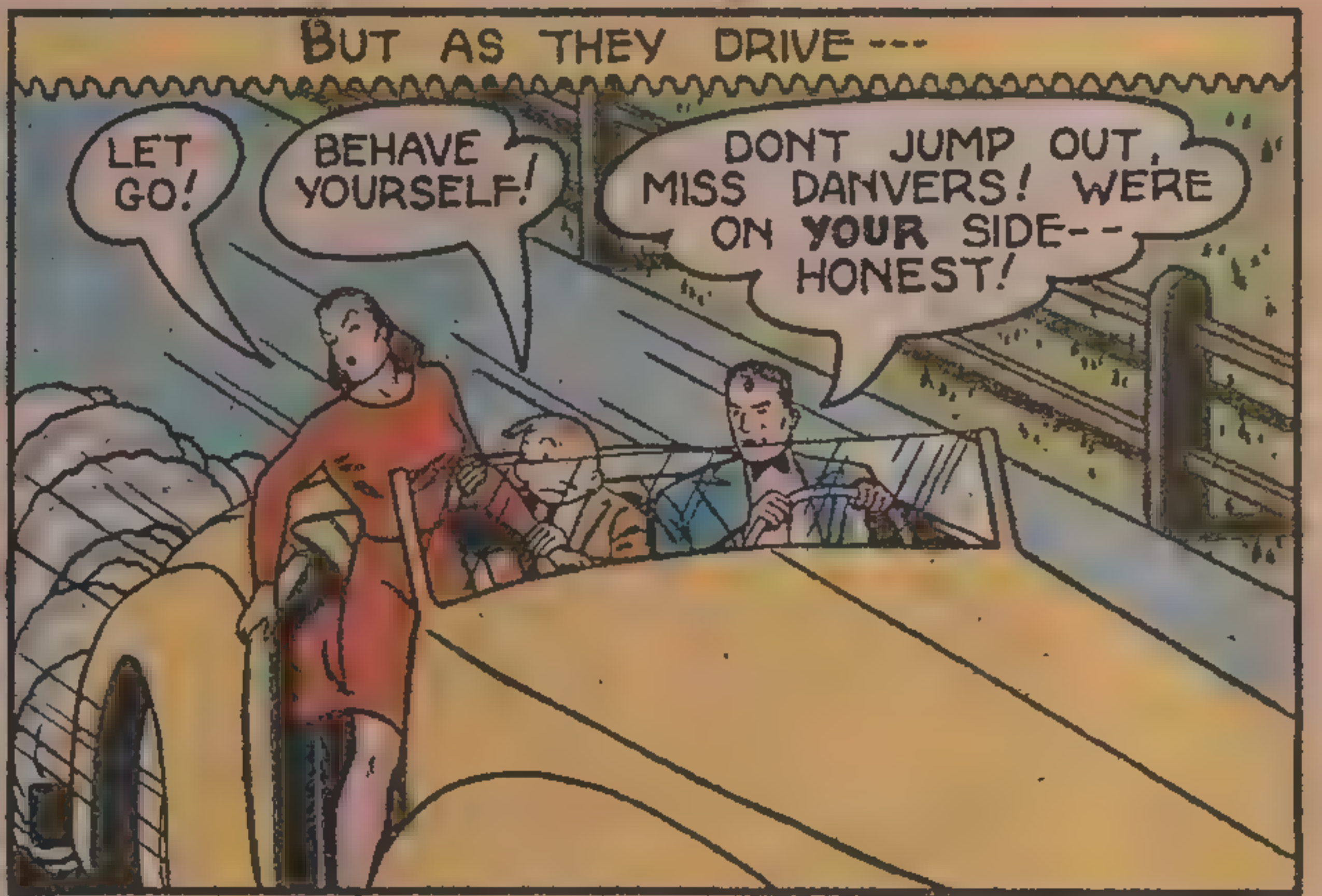
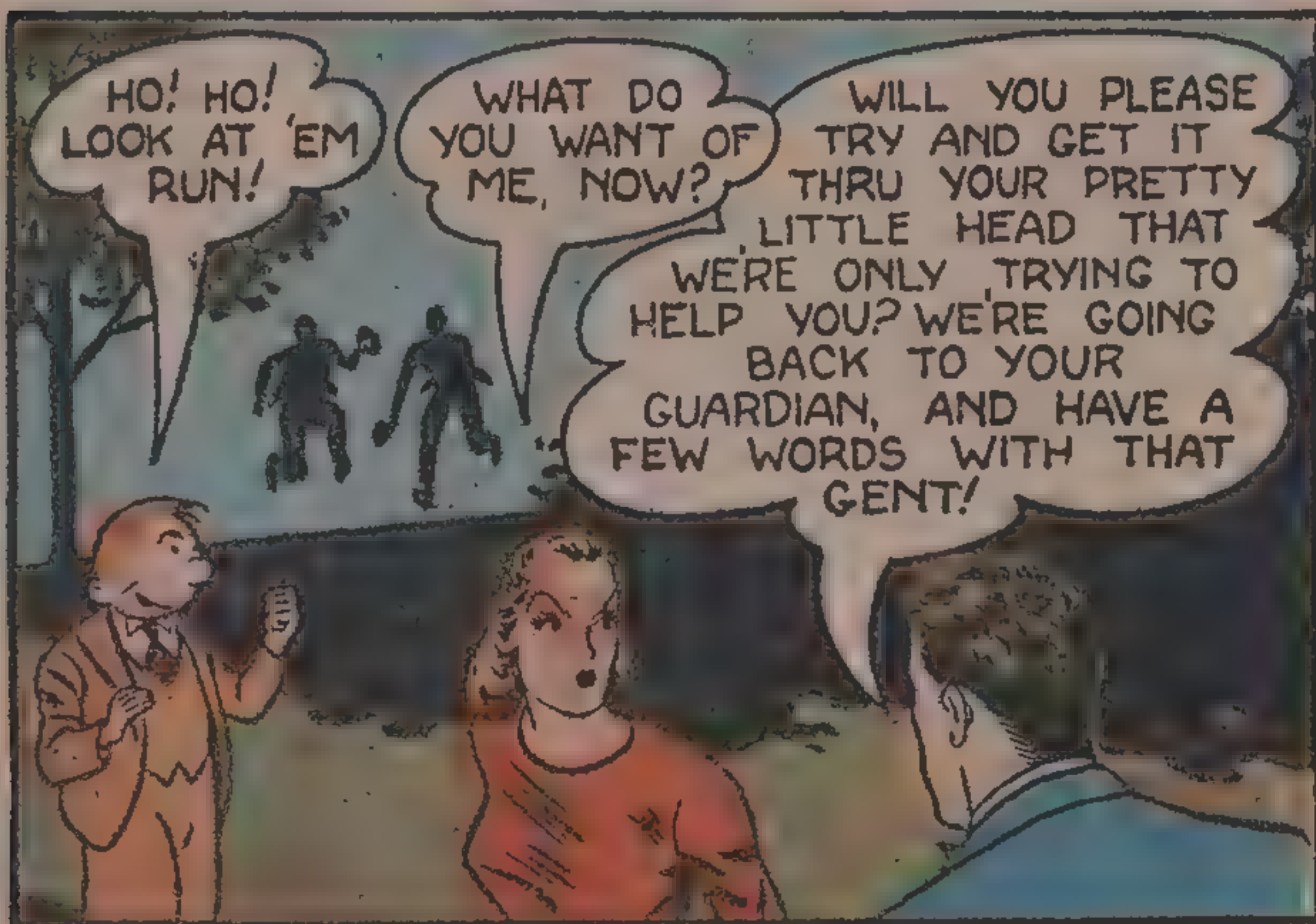
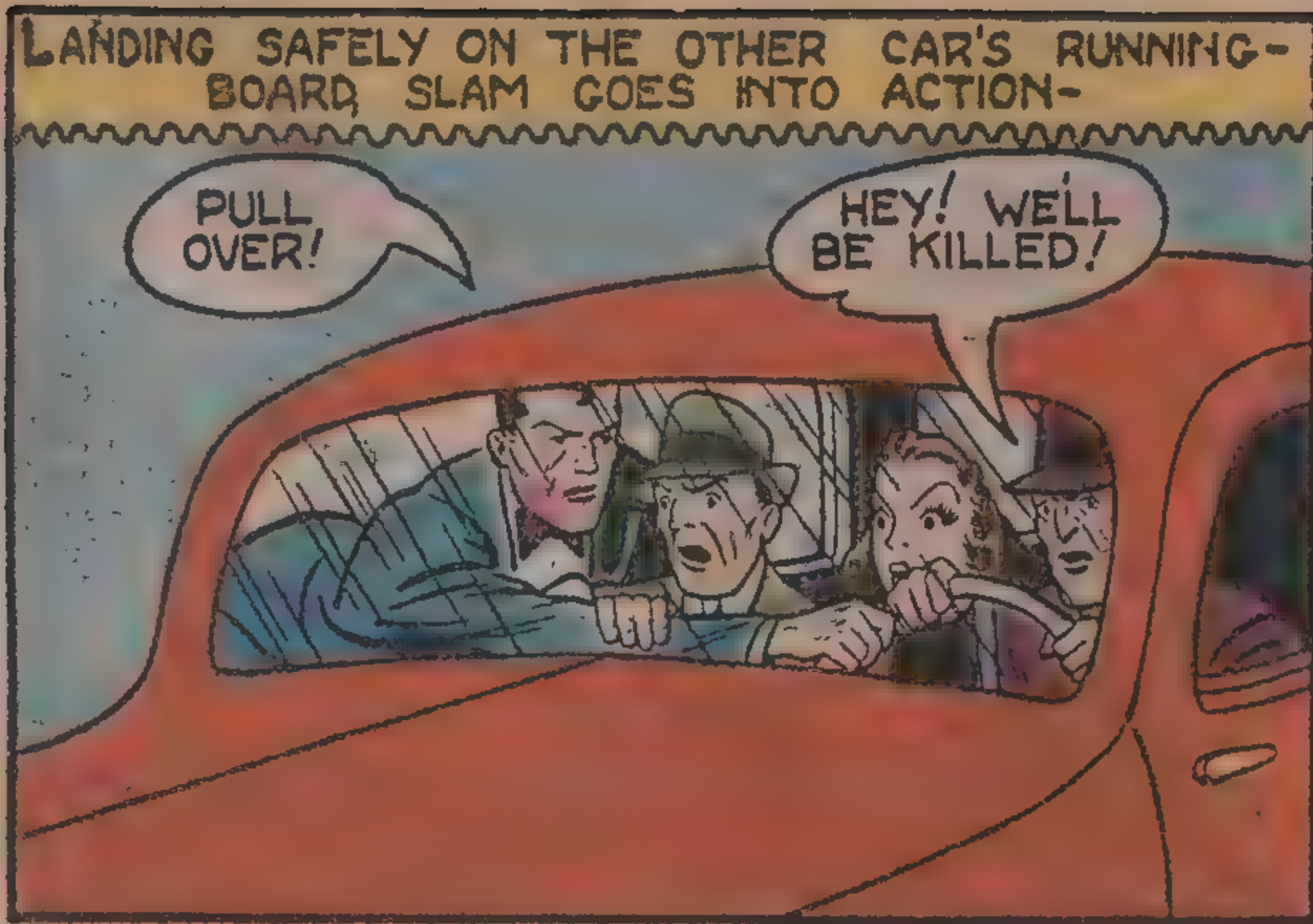


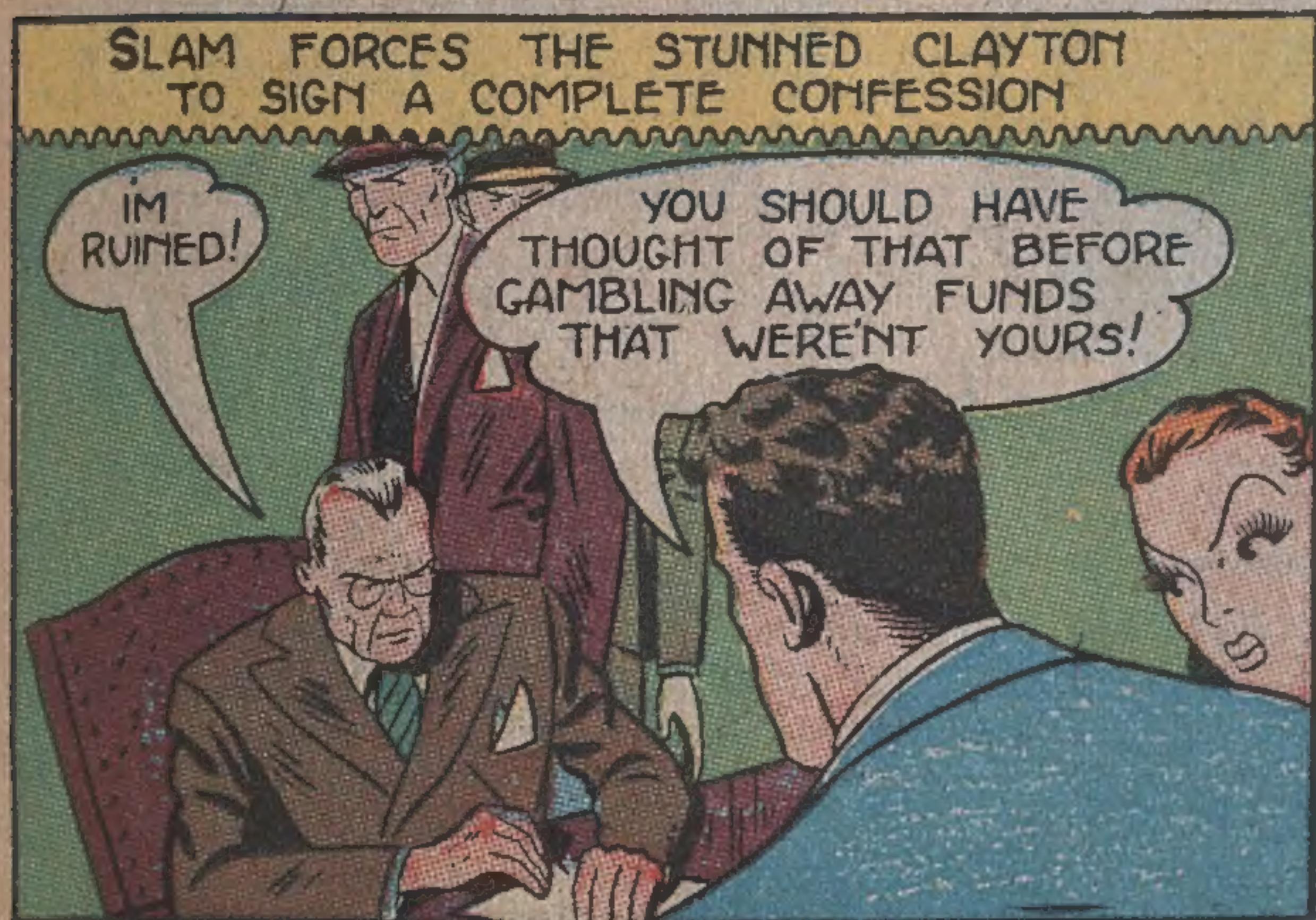
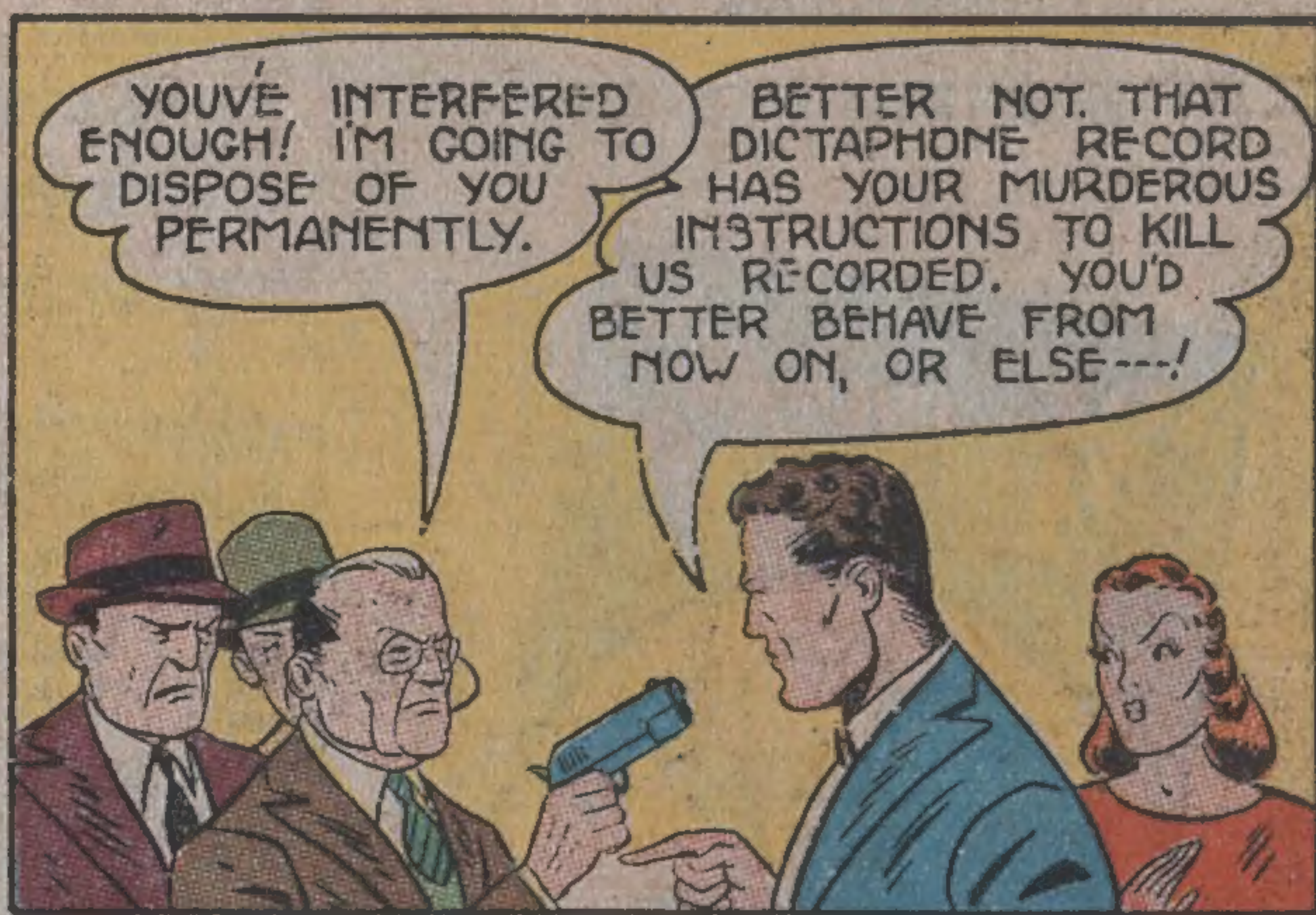
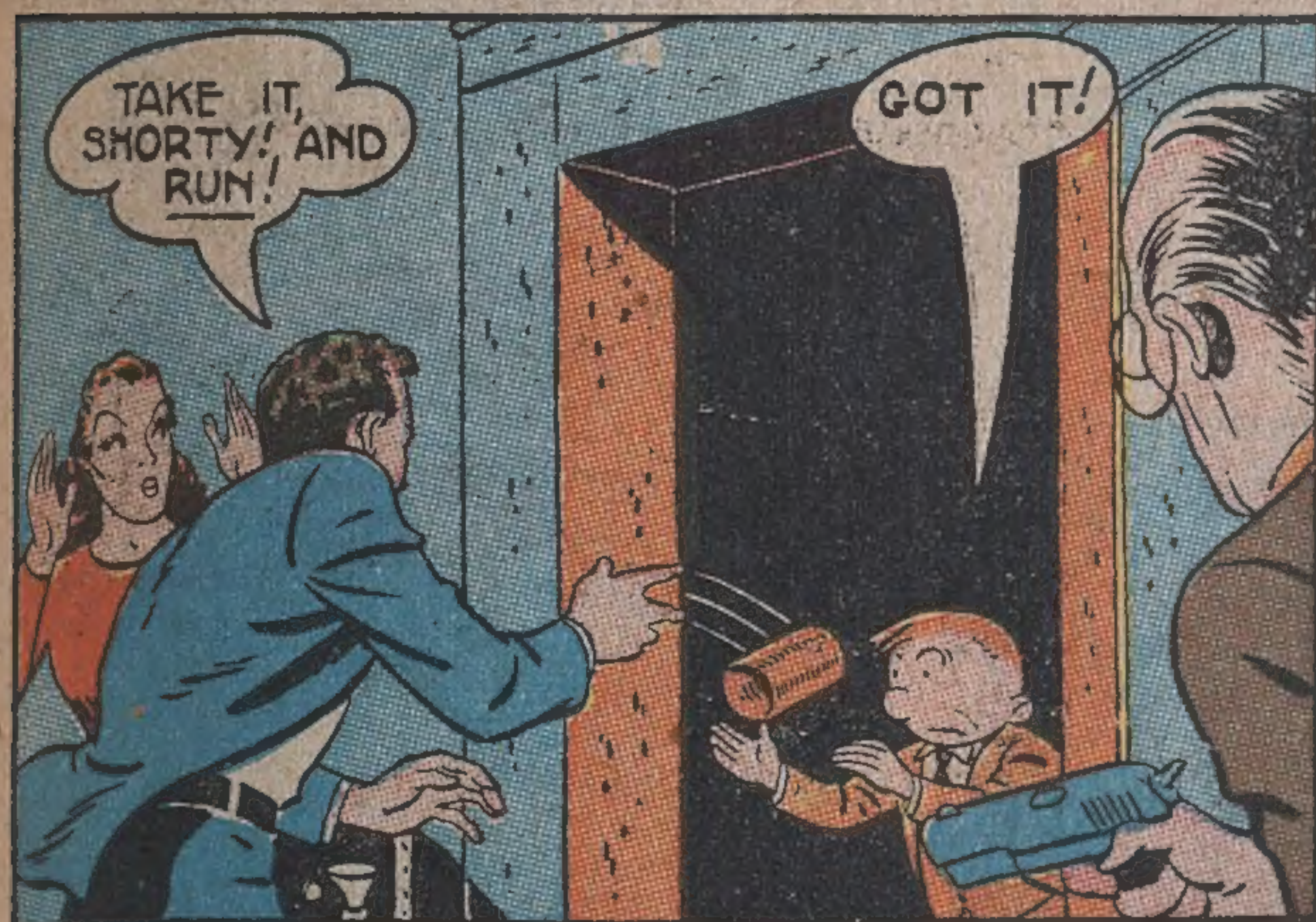
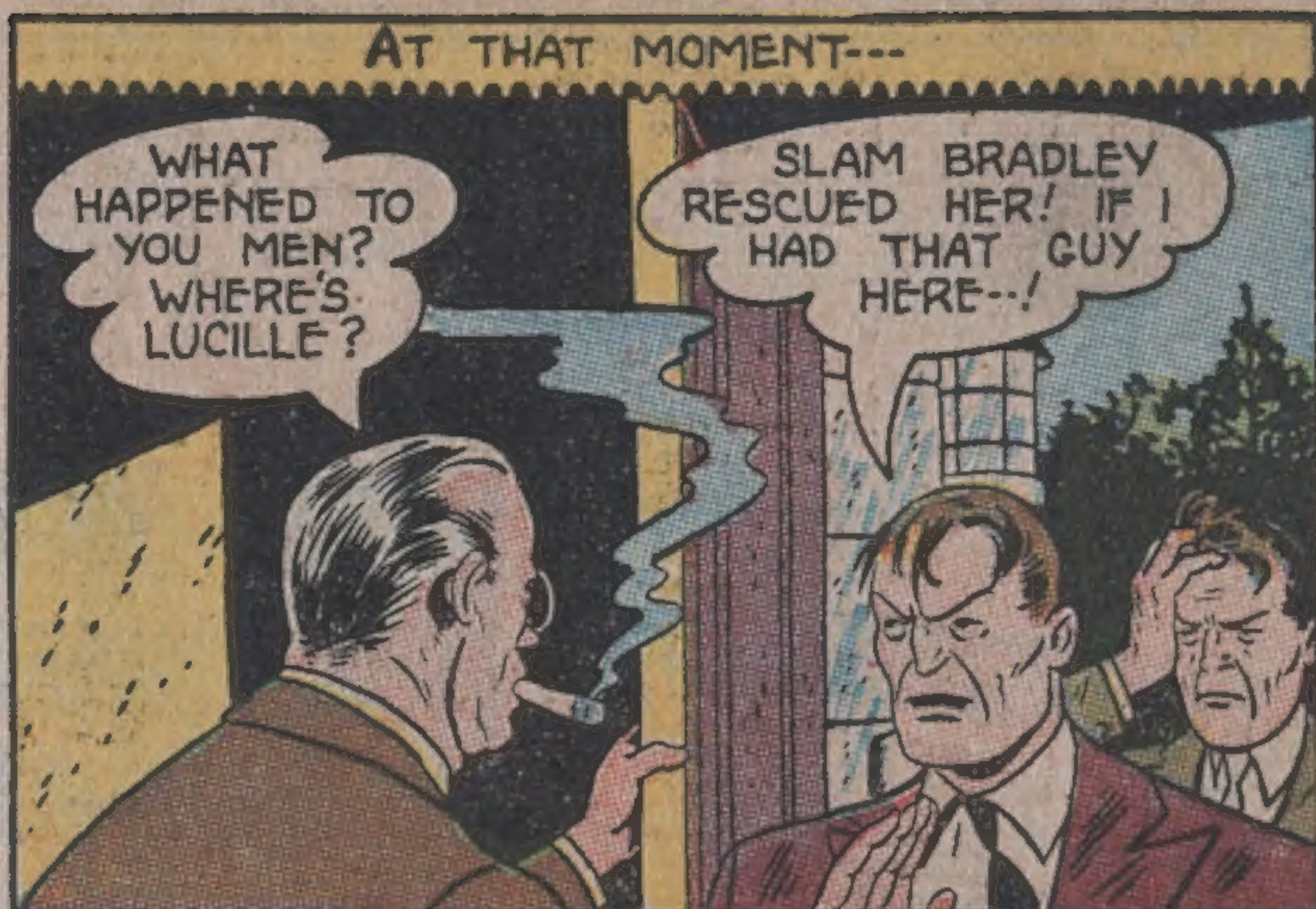
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